

U. S. NAVY SHOULD BE UNCONQUERABLE-WILSON

ONE LONE AMERICAN VESSEL CAN START HOSTILITIES

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 3.—President Wilson today told an audience of 15,000 which swayed with a tumult of cheering, that the United States should have the greatest navy in the world.

"I believe the navy of the United States should be unconquerable," he said, "The greatest in the world."

The president declared that submarine commanders abroad have instructions which for the most part conform with international law, but that the act of one commander might set the world afire, including America.

"Upon the ocean there are hundreds of cargoes of American goods," he said. "Cotton, grain and all the bountiful supplies America is sending out to the world—and any one of those cargoes, any one of those ships, may be the point of contact that will bring America into the war."

For the first time during the tour the president told how one set of belligerents was cut off from the world. He said this kept the United States from helping them as it would like. He made the statement in trying to show that the United States was really neutral.

"No man can lead America any further than her people do not desire to be led. I believe it to be my duty to subordinate my individual feelings to the considerations that govern the international affairs, the genuine spirit of my fellow citizens," said the president.

"So far as America is concerned no man need go amongst us preaching peace. We are disciples of peace already and no man need preach that gospel to us."

"America has drawn no fine points, no new issues in her international relations. She has merely asserted the rights of mankind when the life of mankind is threatened in a world aflame with war. She has rested upon what is already written plain on the documents of international law."

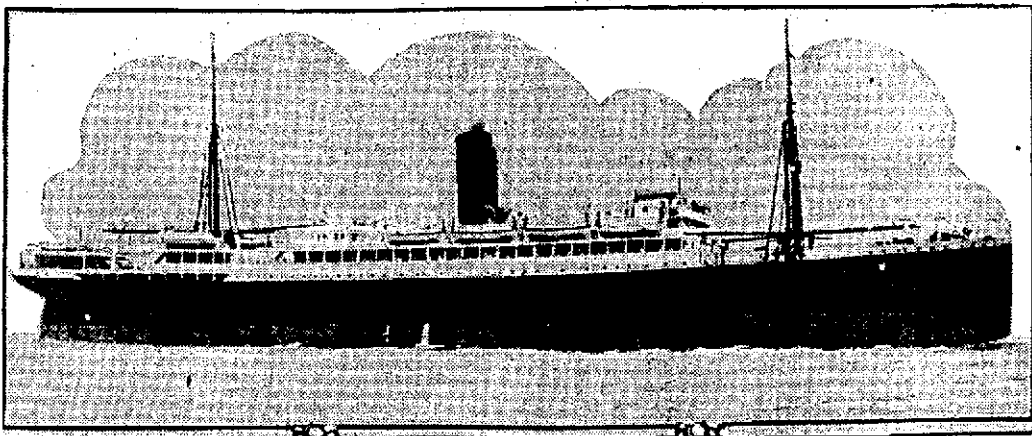
The crowd cheered. The president said that some day statesmen of the older countries would have to admit that it was America that kept burning the flame of international law upon its altar.

The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way has a serene treatment for almost everything now, and while they taste pretty bad sometimes certainly better than an operation.

BRITISH SCORE IN LINER CONTROVERSY WHEN SUBJECTS ARE PERMITTED TO LAND



British steamship Appam.

SWEDISH COLORS ON SIDES

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The report of Capt. Harrison of the Appam to the Elder Dempster Line, now in the hands of the British embassy, is understood to say Harrison does not know the name of the raider which took the liner, but says Swedish colors were painted on her sides and that other craft, probably supply ships, were in the vicinity.

STEAMER IS SUNK; 19 DROWN

London, Feb. 3.—The British steamship Belle of France has been sunk. The Europeans in her crew and 22 Lascars were landed. Nineteen Lascars are missing.

PHILLIES GET ADAMS

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 3.—The Philadelphia National League Club announced today that it had secured Pitcher Carl Adams, from the Chicago Cubs at the waiver price.

DATE FOR COMPULSION

London, Feb. 3.—King George, at a privy council today signed a proclamation fixing Feb. 10 as the appointed date on which the military service act shall be regarded as coming into force.

When every other altar in the world was swept by the winds of passion.

"I am ready to make every patient allowance," he continued, "for those whose tempers are upset by war."

"I am ready to make allowances for both sides."

"You know how one set of belligerents is shut off from the rest of the world. Therefore the United States is not able to express itself toward them as they would like. I believe the United States is really neutral."

"My fellow citizens, while we know our own purpose it does not follow that of other nations understand."

"Men press forward with a sort of blind readiness."

"The peace of the world, including America rests with the remainder of the world and not with America."

"Either we shall sit still and wait for the necessity for immediate national defense to come and then call for volunteers who would be, for the first few months, impotent as against a trained and experienced enemy; or we shall adopt the ancient American principle that the men of the country shall be ready to take care of their own government."

FAST GERMAN CRUISER MAY BE IN ATLANTIC

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The possibility that a still more formidable German sea raider than has been reported—the fast German cruiser Roon—is at large in the Atlantic and the report that the Roon in fact was nearby had directed the operations of the raider called the Moewa which sunk six ships and captured the Appam, within two hundred miles of the coast of Spain, promises to add another chapter to the yet untold story of the dashing German sailors.

The Roon is a fast, heavily armored cruiser of nearly ten thousand tons, with more than eighteen thousand horsepower, four hundred feet long and with both oil and coal boilers.

If the Roon is at large the presence of other German warships on the seas is regarded as not improbable.

LICENSE OF INSURANCE CO. REVOKED

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—Frank Taggart, state superintendent of insurance today revoked the state license of the Union Casualty Insurance Company of Philadelphia on the ground that the company is in unsound condition. Michigan authorities barred the company from that state last week, it is said. This is the first company to have its license revoked in Ohio for more than five years.

The company has \$250,000 capital stock and Superintendent Taggart said the examination which has been in progress for several weeks in the company's Philadelphia offices by State Examiner J. W. Crooks, showed that \$104,000 of this is impaired.

The company's assets are \$700,000 and its liabilities more than \$500,000, according to the insurance department's records.

Its report made to the department under oath of officers on December 31, 1914, stated the surplus was \$93,161.

The insurance department's action does not have the effect of cancelling any policies already written, but it removes any state guarantee that proper payment will be made on them.

TRYING TO SETTLE STRIKE

Youngstown, O., Feb. 3.—A conference between Carnegie Steel Company officials and representatives of striking employees, and more mass meetings of workmen were to be held here today in an effort to settle the strike which has been in progress three days.

About 600 men are affected by the strike.

ONLY PRIZE CREW AND OFFICERS ON VESSEL

Newport News, Va., Feb. 3.

Every one aboard the Appam except the prize officers and members of the prize crew will be permitted to land whenever they desire, it was decided late today.

Included in those to be released are the twelve British subjects whom the German commander sought to hold as military prisoners because they had been gun pointers on British merchantmen taken by the raiders.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—Secretary Lansing stated today that there was no question as to the Appam's status as a prize, but that the question of disposition still involved further consideration of the Hague convention and the Prussian-American treaty. Lieutenant Berg's refusal to land British seamen who were gun pointers on British merchantmen will be the subject of further consideration.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, went again to the state department today to ask what disposition is to be made of the British subjects on the liner Appam, who the German captors contend are in the British military service because they were gun pointers on merchantmen sunk by the German sea raider which made the Appam a prize.

The British officials here contend there is no warrant for holding the seamen and it was understood they were to be released with the passengers and crews.

Lieutenant Berg, the German commander objected and they are now being held pending further conferences of officials.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 3.—With her German prize commander on the bridge, the British liner Appam moved up from Old Point early today, and anchored off this port to discharge the 245 persons on board given liberty to land in the United States. The ship's legal status still is undetermined. Lieutenant Berg, the German officer, moves his craft only on orders through Collector Hamilton.

"We are treating her as an English ship which has put into an American port flying the German naval ensign and under charge of a man who says he is an officer of the German navy," is the present attitude of the United States.

Princes Von Hatzfeldt, counsel-

lor of the German embassy at Washington, and Captain Gaunt, the British naval attaché, reached here from Old Point Comfort soon after the ship anchored to look after the interests of their respective governments. The prince is urging his claim that the Appam is a fair prize of war, entitled under an old Prussian-American treaty to remain in an American port as long as the prize crew desires.

Captain Gaunt, assisted by the British vice consul, is managing the removal of English subjects, and awaiting the outcome of his embassy's demand that all those held on the liner be permitted to leave.

Suffering In Poland Is Intense

Berlin, Feb. 3.—(Via London)—The darkest pictures drawn of privation and pestilence in Poland have failed to portray the extent of misery there, it was said today by two Americans who have made a personal investigation. They are Frederick C. Walcott, European representative of the Rockefeller foundation, and Caspar Whitney, of the American commission for relief in Belgium. These men have just returned from a fortnight's trip through Poland.

Mr. Whitney and Mr. Walcott say there is virtually no food left except potatoes and a small amount of flour. Little fuel remains. Typhus and other diseases prevail. Thousands of persons whose homes were destroyed during the Russian retreat, are without shelter. Thirty per cent of the population is absolutely dependent upon relief.

CONVICTIONS SUSTAINED

Chicago, Feb. 3.—The convictions of Donn M. Roberts, former mayor of Terre Haute, Indiana, and ten others found guilty with him of election frauds, were sustained by the U. S. district court of appeals here today.

EVIDENCE CONCLUDED

Providence, R. I., Feb. 3.—The presentation of all of the evidence in the trial of Mrs. Mohr, Cecil Brown and Henry Spellman, charged with the murder of Dr. Franklin Mohr, was concluded at the forenoon session of the superior court here today. It is expected that the case will reach the jury some time tomorrow.

HAVE LOCATED VILLA; TO EXTERMINATE BAND

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 3.—Francisco Villa was located today near Tule, about fifty miles east of Gallego, according to General Givira, commandant at Juarez. Givira dispatched 100 men to reinforce those sent out yesterday towards Rosque Bonito and aid in the capture and extermination of the Villa band.

GONE! IS CODE

Washington, Feb. 3.—Navy officials frankly admit they are alarmed at the mysterious disappearance of the battle signal book from the destroyer Hull, of the Pacific fleet.

Admiral Winslow today reported that all efforts to find the highly confidential code have been unavailing, and navy officers said that it probably at once would be replaced by another to make useless the one which has disappeared and which they admit they fear may fall into the hands of some foreign government.

BEAUTIFUL AUSTRO-POLISH ARISTOCRAT WINS PEOPLE'S LOVE BY HER WAR WORK



Countess Wanda Lubenska.

HOPES SISTER WILL CLEAR UP THE MYSTERY

Buffalo, Feb. 3.—John Edward Teiper's gold watch, which is declared was stolen from his pocket Sunday night when he claimed highwaymen attacked and murdered his mother, Mrs. Agnes Teiper, his brother, Frederick Teiper, and probably fatally wounded his sister, Grace, in the Orchard Park road, has been recovered. It was found by a newspaper reporter in a field not far from the spot where the murders occurred.

It was lying alongside a stone which it had evidently struck. The watch, which was dented, had stopped at 12:25 a. m.

District Attorney Dudley when informed that the watch had been found, said that "It practically clinches the case."

He would not indicate however when an arrest would be made. Teiper in the meantime remained in his cell at police headquarters, where he had spent a restless night.

Teiper, who spent the night in a cell at police headquarters, after attending the funeral of his mother and brother, may today see the third victim of the Orchard Park tragedy, his dying sister Grace.

Teiper clings to his original story that the murders were the work of a strange man, and is said to have expressed a willingness to go to his sister's bedside in the hope that his presence may draw from her, during a possible moment of consciousness, some word to confirm his story.

CORNS WANTS SWITZER'S JOB

Columbus, O., Feb. 3.—John B. Corns, Ironton newspaper editor, while here today announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for congress in the Tenth District. This post is held now by Representative R. M. Switzer, of Gallipolis.

Frank Walker, who has been ill with pneumonia at his home on Findlay street, is much better.

Billy Butch Times Weather Man



In the language of the old time G. O. P. conventions I want a "point with pride" my cold snap. Its a cold snap 't' point with pride to if I do have 't' say it myself, and the beauty of it is its gonna hold up for a while. Nothing like doing a thing up right while you're at it. And while I'm at it I'll just do up a bit more of the cold stuff for tomorrow.

Ohio—Generally fair tonight and Friday, except probably snow flurries near the lake.

Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and probably Friday, with not much change in temperature.

CHILD LABOR BILL PASSES IN THE HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 3.—The Keating child labor bill, now awaits the action of the senate. This measure which would prohibit the interstate shipment of the products of child labor under heavy penalty passed the house late yesterday by a vote of 337 to 46. The bill was amended so as to exempt boys and girls earning clubs from its operations.

MORAN AND WILLARD ARE TO BATTLE

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jess Willard signed a contract here today to meet Frank Moran at Madison Square Garden, New York, March 17, in a ten-round match. The agreement was reached between Dave Levinsohn, representing Tex Rickard, the California promoter and Tom Jones, for Jess Willard.

The terms are that Willard is to receive \$47,500 and 51 per cent of the moving picture concession. Moran is to get \$20,000.

KAISER ON THE BATTLE FRONTS

Berlin, (Via Wireless to Sayville)—Feb. 3.—In again denying the report published in various quarters that the German emperor had been treated by an American physician for a cancerous condition of the larynx the Overseas News Agency characterizes the case as a "Machismo" attempt to influence foreign public opinion.

The emperor is traveling from one place to another as a healthy man can do.

SHORTAGE CAUSE OF HIGH PRICE

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The greatly increased price of gasoline, Secretary Lane reported to the senate, is caused by a shortage of supply and quarters that the German emperor had been treated by an American physician for a cancerous condition of the larynx the Overseas News Agency characterizes the case as a "Machismo" attempt to influence foreign public opinion.

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Joint Meeting

Orient Encampment I. O. O. F. and Canton Orient I. O. O. F. will hold a joint meeting tonight.

It will be a boosters' meeting and will be followed by a smoker. An effort will be made to increase the membership of both orders and a committee of real life boosters to this end will be named.

Schomberg Estate

The will of Henry Schomberg, late of Harrison township, was filed for probate Thursday morning. The entire estate, consisting of the farm in Harrison township, stock, household goods, furniture, provisions, money and credit was bequeathed to the widow, Jeannette Schomberg, who was nominated as executrix. Besides the widow, six daughters and three sons survive, and upon the death of their mother, they are to share equally the estate.

Return From Funeral

Jesse B. Carr and D. D. Frasier have returned from Parkersburg, W. Va., where they accompanied the remains of Mr. Carr's brother, the late James E. Carr, who died here last week.

Colored Couple Wed

The Ironton Irontonian Thursday said: Ernest Stafford, 22 of Catlettsburg and Laura Cosell, 23, of Portsmouth, a fine looking colored couple, were granted a marriage license by Judge Robert Wednesday.

Enjoyed Auto Show

Charles Horr, George Gulker, Alex M. Glockner, George Newland, Harry Howe of this city and Clyde Brant of Leesville were among the local people who attended the automobile show in Columbus Wednesday.

In New Home

Police Clerk Harry Johnson, who has been making his home with his father-in-law, Harrison Price, of Center street, moved Wednesday to upstairs apartments in the O. M. Osborn home on Spring street.

Have Kept Prepared

Officials of the American Steam Laundry company have found much elation in their ability to turn out work in their customary satisfactory manner despite the muddy condition of the water. The firm has kept intact its private filter and storage tank equipment and this enabled them to turn out their work in good clear water.

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that they cannot afford to be ill. They must keep themselves in the best of health at all times. Most of all, the digestive system must be kept in good working order. Knowing the importance of this, many women have derived help from

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JEWISH RELIEF FUND

The Jewish War Sufferers' Relief Fund now amounts to \$302.60 and is steadily growing. The committee wishes to correct the amount credited to the Security Savings Bank, left at The First National Bank or at The Corner Book Store, or may be mailed to Miss Esther Labold or to Mrs. A. Schapiro.

Geo. L. Davis May Be G. O. P. Delegate

Scioto county will have a candidate for one of the Republican delegates to the Republican National Convention from the Sixth District in Chicago in June, it was reliably learned today. George L. Davis, former county treasurer, is said to have the backing of the Republican organization in this county, and the probabilities are that he will go to Chicago as one of the Burton delegates from this district.

Mr. Davis has been in Columbus since Tuesday afternoon, and it is understood that the object of his visit was to meet former Senator Burton regarding his candidacy. Under the provisions of the new election law, no one can announce himself for national delegate unless he has the written approval of the candidate whom he intends to support for the presidential nomination. As Senator Burton has no opposition in his own party in this state, the entire delegation from Ohio will be picked by him.

Recitation by Harold Lieber.
Recitation by Marie Jackson.
Recitation by Hilda Shope.
Essay by Anna Kanouse.
Song, "Home, Sweet Home."
Recitation by Cecil Kuhnner.
Reading by Lester Kanouse.
Recitation by Lester Martin.
Recitation by Marcelle Crabtree.
Recitation by Anna Kaltenbach.
Recitation by Alma Duffell.
Recitation by Lucille Beesler.
Recitation by Henry Knigge.
Recitation by Marvel Hanes.
Debate, "Resolved, That the Use of Tobacco is a Vice." Affirmative, Albert Cullins, Virgil Akers, Oscar Burton; negative, Harry Potts, Harold Ruth, John Kallenbach.
Highest standard materials used by Brehmer, the Painter. 1-11
Mrs. Margaret James, of the West Side, was reported very low with pneumonia, Thursday.

STOMACH ACIDS CAUSE INDIGESTION

How to Neutralize Acidity, Stop Food Fermenting and Enjoy Big Meals Without Distress

If your meals don't agree with you there are about ten chances to one that the trouble is due entirely to fermentation of food caused by excess acid secretion in your stomach. Nearly everybody at times has some form of indigestion or stomach disorder caused by excess acid. And excess acid is about the easiest of all stomach disorders to overcome. Take a teaspoonful of Bismarck's Magnesia in a quarter glass of water after eating. Bismarck's Magnesia is a simple harmless antacid which can be purchased at the Fisher & Stretch Pharmacy or any drug store. It neutralizes the excess acid in the stomach, sweetens its contents, prevents fermentation and thus permits normal digestion. It gives relief in five minutes. As there are various forms of Magnesia, be sure to call for Bismarck's Magnesia, which is the form specifically intended for correcting stomach acidity.

SOUTH WEBSTER H. S. IS TO GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

A fine program is to be given by South Webster High School February 5, as follows:
Song, "Old Folks At Home."
Recitation by Wilbur Havener.
Recitation by Della Crabtree.
Recitation by Mattie Ruth.
Recitation by Edith Baer.
Reading by Vera Ash.
Recitation by Isabel Queen.

Recitation by Elizabeth Bauer.
Recitation by Carrie Cadot.
Recitation by Maudie Perry.
Recitation by Helen Velez.
Song, "He Leadeth Me."
Recitation by Fay Downing.
Reading by John Potts.
Recitation by Leila Grant.
Recitation by Mildred Duffell.
Recitation by Rosa Ash.

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The Movies

That Great "Triangle" Program, Columbia Tonight—"The Iron Strain" With Dustin Farnum and "A Game Old Knight" With Charles Murray.

The "Triangle" program which was shown for the first time in this city at the Columbia last Monday was pronounced the best picture program ever shown in Portsmouth. Tonight you will have an opportunity to see another of these famous picture programs.

The program this evening consists of a five reel production entitled "The Iron Strain," and a two reel Keystone comedy entitled "A Game Old Knight." The drama is a most interesting and thrilling story of western life featuring Dustin Farnum, Emil Markey and Louise Glann, one of the sort that you will like and enjoy.

The comedy is a veritable scream from beginning to end, featuring Charles Murray, of Murray and Mack fame, assisted by a full score of Keystone comedians.

If you missed the first showing of these great pictures on last Monday don't let anything keep you away this evening as "Triangle" is the very last word in motion pictures all over the country, and when you see tonight's program, you will be seeing the very same pictures that they are paying from 25c to \$1.00 to see in the big cities of the country.

First show starts promptly at 6:30; admission 10c straight, except children under 12 who are accompanied by grown people.

"The Mill On the Floss," Special Attraction At Lyric Saturday

George Eliot's celebrated novel, "The Mill On the Floss," has been artistically screened by the Thanhouser company, and will be presented as a Mutual Masterpicture at the Lyric Saturday. The simple, pathetic story of Maggie Tulliver's stormy young life is a household classic. Invariably the performances which appeal most strongly to lovers of photodrama are familiar subjects, pictured, and the announcement of this latest achievement of the Thanhouser studios is bound to create a thrill of anticipation in every city and town where Mutual Masterpictures are shown.

Beautiful Mignon Anderson is the star surrounded by an excellent cast. The terrible flood scene is something startling in its realism. The production is noted for its beautiful photography also.

"The Unknown," Paramount Feature At The Lyric Tomorrow

In "The Unknown," the second Jesse L. Lasky production in which Lou Tellegen, the distinguished romantic actor is to appear at the Lyric tomorrow, is said to be a photodrama of unusual power. The story has to do with the famous Foreign Legion in Algeria, that mysterious military sanctuary where men who have met with misfortune or disgrace may redeem their past by bravery and honorable service. Mr. Tellegen is seen as an English man who, at the end of a long debauch, finds himself penniless in a little town on the edge of the Sahara Desert. Here he rescues a beautiful American girl from an Arabian dance hall and is induced to enlist in the Foreign Legion as a private. As the private he is persecuted by the captain of his troop, who has bestowed his misplaced affections upon the American girl, who has taken an interest in the strange young Englishman. The captain subjects the private to all kinds of cruelties and finally has him condemned to death for mutiny. Tellegen escapes, however, and with the assistance of the girl who is disguised as an Arabian boy and whom he does not recognize, flees into the desert. There they are discovered by the captain, who through a peculiar circumstance, finds he has been persecuting his own son. How the tangled skein is finally unraveled is brought about by a series of gripping dramatic events.

In the cast supporting Mr. Tellegen are such distinguished artists as Theodore Roberts, as the captain, Dorothy Davenport, Hal Clements, Tom Forman, Horace B. Carpenter, Raymond Hatton and other members of the Lasky all star organization. Wonderful scenes of the desert is said to have created a new era in motion picture photography.

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Seven Reels at The Arcana Tonight

"The Fight for Fortune" is the headline feature. You have often read about what miners go through to get gold, how they starve, struggle and fight, for gold. Sometimes, even turn on their best friends and partners; why do they do this? It is only when the lust for wealth takes away their finer sensibilities, that they kill. What you have read you can see by going to the Arcana; there is a picture being shown called "The Fight for Fortune." See men turn to the dark ages of savagery, their only thought to kill. 20 cent show for 5 and 10 cents. "The Sacrifice of Jonathan Gray," is a three part Big U drama of heart interest. "A Seashore Romeo," is a Rex comedy, full of laughs. Don't forget, seven reels.

"The Strange Case of Talmay Lind," at the Majestic Tonight

We have tonight a Jungle Zoo drama in 300 feet of film, entitled "The Strange Case of Talmay Lind," written by and featuring Miss Kathryn Williams. Carl is a trainer of animals. He is a peculiar drinker and when intoxicated is brutal. While drunk he enters an arena which contains a mauling hippopotamus. He beats the beast until the wife, unable to longer stand the sounds of the tortured beast, rushes to the arena and begs her husband to desist. In a drunken rage he grabs his wife and shoves her in with the beast. Not long afterwards a child comes to gladden the home. Every scene has a heart ache. It is a beautiful drama, so do not miss it. The admission is 5c.

Temple Theatre

Tonight we have a Lubin production entitled "The Phantom Happiness." Artistic photography and picturesque locations are features of this three reel drama, written by Shannon Fife. It has a great dramatic strength and is marked by good taste in the selection of the incidents and the manner of its production. It is well acted by a cast which includes Earl Metcalf, Orma Hawley, Rosetta Brice, and William H. Turner. The fourth reel is a Vitaphone comedy entitled "The Romance of a Handkerchief." A young wife finds another lady's handkerchief in her husband's possession and trouble starts. The admission is 5 cents.

THE EXHIBIT TONIGHT

"INHERITANCE," big special 3 part Essanay drama featuring Bryant Washburn and Ruth Stonehouse
"BROWN'S SUMMER BOARDERS"
One reel Vitaphone comedy

MAJESTIC TONIGHT

"THE STRANGE CASE OF TALMAI LIND," 3 part drama
"THE FIRE ESCAPE," Vitaphone comedy
Friday's feature, "PHANTOM HAPPINESS," 3 reel Lubin

ARCANA TONIGHT

"THE FIGHT FOR FORTUNE," 3 part drama
"THE SACRIFICE OF JONATHAN GRAY," 3 reel Big U
"A SEASHORE ROMEO," Rex comedy

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PSYCHICS-PEACE-FAILURE

The secret is out. Ford's peace expedition was a failure because the psychic influences went awry. The jitney maker is a follower of the psychic cult. He believes if you can just think a thing hard enough then that thing takes form and substance out of the inchoate elements and becomes a substance, a condition. It was his thought that if he could get a ship load of intellectual persons out on the calm of the wide, blue sea and set them to thinking peace and nothing but peace the psycho-radio waves would lap the whole world round and move all the beings thereupon.

There is the germ of a truth in that cult, but the unhappy lesson to the projector and payer in the enterprise and the misfortune of mankind was, that in this instance the germ had no opportunity to germinate. It would appear that Henry Ford is neither a good mixer, nor a born commander. No sooner had he gone aboard than he housed himself up in his state room and there he remained. Jealousies, envies, rivalries, hates, sprang up in the party, making for clash, bickerings and contentions, the fury of which would have shamed any waves the storm could have risen. For a time the man who paid the bills was ignorant of what was going on. Finally the whole condition was revealed to him and he was made sick at heart, so sick that instead of trying to quell the turmoil and release the psychic forces he hoisted back home as soon as he could find another vessel with prow pointed that way.

Who may not say the idea of the enterprise was deserving of object failure, but conceived in something like a delirium, rushed on its feet with wild hurry, it had less than one chance in a million to obtain respectful consideration, to say nothing of succeeding.

CONCERNING COURTESY

That there has been a marked improvement in the manners of public officials will be admitted. No doubt, too, there has been an equally marked improvement in the manners of the public. "I have asked a great many questions of policemen in the last thirty years," says a prominent Cleveland, "and never received a curt or indifferent reply. I ascribe this largely to the fact that I asked my questions in a manner that called for courteous consideration." The days of the gruff and grouchy employee whose duties bring him in contact with the public, are for the most part numbered. The gruff and grouchy question is passing, too.

Corporations are paying more attention to the manners of their employees. In some instances they are texting them out. The ticket agent who barks at the plainly dressed stranger may find later that the stranger is the president of the road. The hotel clerk who snarls at an unassuming patron may be turning away a millionaire guest.

The corporations want the general public treated with the same courtesy that would be given to presidents and stockholders. They want the employees to see, as it were, a potential president or stockholder in every stranger who comes to the ticket window, or the collection window, or the teller's window, or the hotel counter.

A leading railway company has posted certain courtesy suggestions in its many stations. These suggestions impress upon the employee's mind the advantages of courteous treatment. The paragraph here quoted will give an idea of the poster's general purpose: "Courtesy is catching. Be courteous always. Courtesy makes the rough places much easier, and helps to smooth away life's little difficulties. Courtesy is a business asset, a gain, and never a loss. Courtesy is one mark of a good railroad man."

These are admirably practical little axioms that apply equally to all branches and varieties of public service.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Yes, so gruesome a thing as trench war can have its humorous side. Nothing serious could be so comical as that German crew sailing the missing English ship Appam into an American port as a man-of-war. Uncle Sam, however, is disposed to look upon the matter as anything else than a comedy or a joke. It presents some mighty and knotty problems as a maritime and international question.

If some of the tales we hear about the examinations of city departments are true, some soon might make a ten strike by having examiners examine examiners.

LIKE BANQUO'S GHOST



A GOOD START

The close of the first month of 1916 saw the iron market in the best and biggest condition it, probably has ever enjoyed. The mills were all running full time and there was an abundance of orders on hand. In truth such is the plethora of them, that specifications can not find takers, where there is anything like an early delivery hinted at.

The outstanding feature in the whole situation of the month was the heavy receipt of domestic and more particularly the strong buying of the railroads. To be sure "war orders" have considerable to do with the activity of the furnaces and foundries and their presence causes some uneasiness, but it is to be questioned if they are so important as not only to characterize the industry, but to threaten a serious relapse when they are through with. Money is plentiful and taking the country over, is about the cheapest it has ever been known to be. This means there will be much seeking of investments and that can in turn mean nothing else than large building operations, which will play a conspicuous part in maintaining the stability and activity of the iron market. Further than that railroads are apt to take occasion of cheap money to purchase equipment if they can get it even this year at anything like a fair price, and this ought to have its effect in keeping the mills going when the war orders are done with.

NEED FOR COMMISSION

An interesting situation is presented in Madison county, state of Illinois, where a condition of armed neutrality exists between the papers and the doctors.

What led up to the unpleasant entanglement is not clear to us, but as at present developed it appears the papers have placed a sort of embargo on the medicals, through the press association of the county, which is one of the largest in the state and contains over two hundred practicing physicians. The embargo takes the shape of each and every newspaper refusing longer to print names with a title prefix or affix. Thus, though a half dozen colleges may have conferred the degree of M. D. upon E. W. Fiegenbaum, and a thousand allude to him as "Doc" and his wife print her cards as "Mrs. Dr." in the news columns he will be plain E. W. Fiegenbaum. Of course, it is against the ethics of the profession and the newspapers are giving it the highest altitude of expression, but somehow we don't like their attitude particularly. There's a glow and a conference in addressing someone as "Doc" and it seems to us it would take out one of those little jubilant notes that go so far in making pleasant fellowship if the word were to be obliterated.

Did you ever. Here is another "extra" bobbing up for our waterless water works. This time it is the N. & W., which wants a few hundreds above \$13,000 for building an underground passage to the pumping station.

WE'VE GOT TO HAVE IT

While back a proposition, backed in its inception by the progressive farmers about Wheelersburg, was submitted to the voters to issue bonds, the proceeds of which would go to the establishment and maintenance of a county experimental station.

Briefly an experimental station is a farm where government experts demonstrate the nature and capacity of the soils of a county, learning by actual test what it will produce most abundantly and profitably and the best methods to that end.

The proposition alluded to was presented too shortly before the election and there was not time to clear with reason and fact, the shadow of the ogre of more taxes that was immediately thrown over it, so it was defeated. At that it received a good vote, enough to make it certain that with a full understanding awakened as to just what an experimental station meant in the way of advancement and the inconsequential tax involved there would be a different result the next time. It would seem one objection to the station is disposed of in the suggestion that a portion of the country farm be used therefor. The farm is amply large to allow of this being done and the use of a part of it in this way would do away with the suspicion that somebody was going to sell land for a station and "make something out of it."

The Times suggests that committees from the various granges of the county and the Board of Trade get together at an early date and put the movement for the station actively afoot.

Things about even up in this old world. It is the far west and southwest that are now having the floods.

The weather is trying hard to be "awful" bad, but is not making a particular success.

Great is Adams county! Its Republican committee is the first in the state to endorse our good young governor for re-nomination. When it comes to voting for him, that is a matter for further consideration.

It's all too plain from the way he has begun to bellow that our good young governor knows how it feels. There wasn't anything fact or fiction he couldn't say about the Cox administration, but it is intolerable that the unadorned truth should be told about his own.

Store Furniture Arrives

Carl Hennes, who is to open a dry goods and clothing store in the Masonic building in Wheelersburg, received his first shipment of counters and display cases Wednesday.

Ironton Booming

P. E. Hayward, a prominent Ironton citizen, arrived here Wednesday afternoon on a business visit. Mr. Hayward reported that Ironton just now was enjoying one of the biggest booms in its history, all manufacturing plants running full blast.

NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, Feb. 3.—Broadway is gold. He is the champion of champagne will over the "stunt" musician. He is valued at \$300 a pound. He weighs five pounds—total \$1,500. St. Julien is the property of Mrs. H. McKenna Pultz.

Before coming to this country in 1913, St. Julien was the champion of England and for two years has captured the trophy for the best Pom in America. He conforms very closely to the best standards for Pomeranians.

He is an orange sable, in color, with a profuse coat, wonderful plumage and a short, cobby body. He is an engaging little fellow and does not take himself seriously at all.

Henri, a local writer of farie, says that the state senators eating at the Biltmore on \$7 a day must have been "a beggarly lot, sir." Whether they are or not, they are enmeshed in a nice little scandal with all sorts of investigators snooping around after them.

But as for them being a beggarly lot, Henri must remember that the senators would have ordered more items off the menu, but didn't know whether to eat, drink or inhale them.

Down in a high-priced eatery the other day a rather breezy patron from Arizona looked over the bill of fare, pointed to one item and said to the waiter: "Send out and get a trap and catch me one of them. I'm going to take a chance."

The item read: "Mousse of Sweet-breads."

A squirrel census has just been taken in Central Park. There are 120 squirrel apartment houses and 32 detached cottages. All in all, there are about 400 squirrels in the park.

A new song that has just come out is "Sweet Cider Time, When You Were Mine." The writers are hoping it will not offend the prohibition element. Peculiarly a drink song with excellent music some time ago lost out because it had a line touching on the good cheer of liquor.

There is a dog in New York that is worth more than its actual weight in gold.

C. & O. Case Is Continued

In the Greenup court the case of the Equitable Trust Company vs. the C. & O. railroad was continued until the July term. The administrators are suing for \$35,000 for the death of Charles Green in the Russell yard while at work. Messrs. Cole, Marysville, Ernest Russell, A. R. Johnson of Ironton and S. S. Willis of Ashland are the lawyers for the plaintiff.

Vitalite used on all Enamel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 1-17

Engine Co. Elects.

Ironton, Feb. 3.—The stockholders of the Ironton Engine Co. held a meeting last night and elected the following directors: F. J. Goldcamp, H. A. Marting, A. H. Mittendorf, C. A. Alfrey, D. C. Davies, F. C. Tomlinson, F. L. McCauley and Thos. Demaro.

GOOPS

By GELETT BURGESS



Ezra Pond

Perhaps you think it wouldn't hurt You if you ate some more dessert; But when your mother says you mayn't, Don't make a fuss or loud complaint, Like Ezra Pond. The Goop he'll scream If he can't have some more ice-cream!

Don't Be A Goop!



A Capital Scheme

The lawyer has no E Z life, And if he would X I, He must have every A D can R E cannot do well.

Every D D does is watched, And every K C tries, He can't succeed with M T shelves B E so very wise.

He will become a C D man, And oft he called A J, Unless he gets what L P can Obtain in N E way.

U C he must be up-to-date, Or L C cannot try To C K place among the few Who R A counted high.

Now if this N D has in view, And such he would S A, Rather than buy X S of books, Let him have L R A. —Wm. H. Woodwell, Jr., in Case and Comment.

His Testimonial.

Ananias—Is the Junction House a good hotel? Job—Why, I wouldn't even lodge a complaint there.—Jack O'Lantern.

Directions For Tying A Bow Tie

To tie a bow tie hold the tie in your left hand and your collar in the other. Slip your neck in the collar and cross the left hand end of the tie over the right with the left hand, steadying the right end with the other hand. Then drop both hands catching the left with the right and the other with the left. Reverse hands and pick up the loose ends with the nearest hands. Pull this end through the loop with the unengaged hand and squeeze. You will find the knot all tied and all you have to do is to untangle your hands.—Dartmouth Jack-o'-Lantern.

Speaking of Domestic Science

For an hour the teacher had dealt with painful iteration on the part played by carbohydrates, proteins and fats, respectively, in the upkeep of the human body. At the end of the lesson the usual test questions were put, among them: "Can any girl tell me the three foods required to keep the body in health?" There was silence till one maiden held up her hand and replied: "Yer breakfast, yer dinner and yer supper." —San Francisco Argonaut.

Children Got Something Besides An Education

Almost all of the pupils in the Wells school in Ionia county are suffering from an attack of the mange. Some time ago a stray dog came along and was adopted by the children, who made a pet of it. A little while later the children began to suffer from an infection of the scalp until nearly all of them had it. A physician was called, who pronounced it mange, contracted from the dog, and the animal was exiled while the children went home and took treatment. They are rapidly recovering. The dog has been shot.—Portland Review.

Notice to Street Corner Mashers!

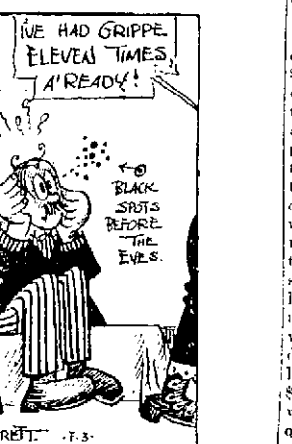
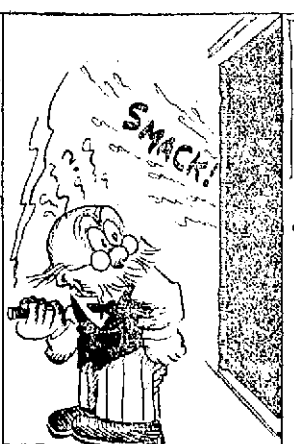
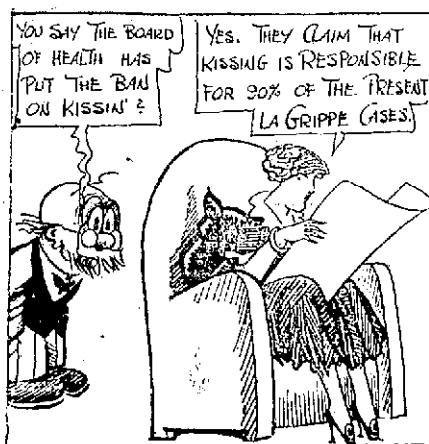
A New York magistrate has discovered that men who stand on street corners and flirt with passing femininity are feeble-minded and ought to be committed to some institution.

Figger This Out For Yourself

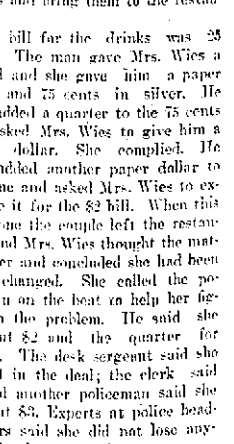
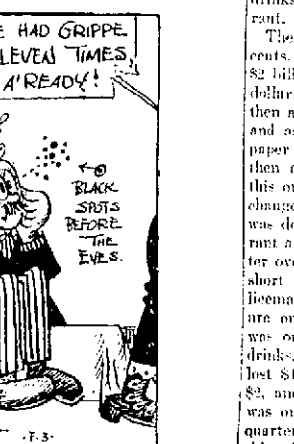
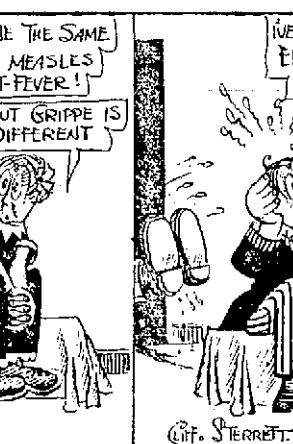
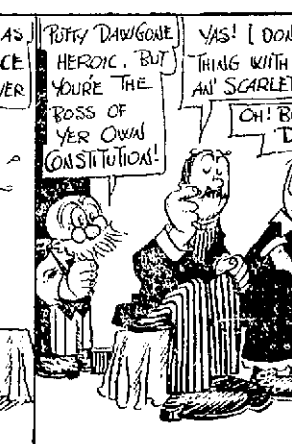
St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Here is a problem in arithmetic, policemen, clerks, and desk sergeants at Newstead avenue station have been trying to figure out since 7 o'clock last night, and no two solutions agree. A man and a woman, both the well dressed, stopped in the restaurant of Mrs. Marie Wies, on North Sarah Street. The woman wanted a "Tom and Jerry" and the man wanted a "highball," but they said they did not want to go into an adjoining saloon to get the drinks. They ordered sandwiches and paid for them. Mrs. Wies volunteered to get the drinks and bring them to the restaurant.

The bill for the drinks was 25 cents. The man gave Mrs. Wies a \$2 bill and she gave him a paper dollar and 75 cents in silver. He then asked a quarter to the 75 cents and asked Mrs. Wies to give him a paper dollar. She complied. He then added another paper dollar to this one and asked Mrs. Wies to exchange it for the \$2 bill. When this was done the couple left the restaurant and Mrs. Wies thought the matter over and concluded she had been short changed. She called the policeman on the beat to help her figure on the problem. He said she was out \$2 and the quarter for drinks. The desk sergeant said she lost \$1 in the deal; the clerk said \$2, and another policeman said she was out \$2. Experts at police headquarters said she did not lose anything in the transaction.

POLLY AND HER PALS



WHO SAID FORBIDDEN SWEETS?



THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Feb. 3.—Stocks made further response to favorable conditions to with pronounced activity and growth in war and semi-war issues. More moderate continuance of yesterday's forward movement was noted by today's early market, initial lists showing variable gains in most of the active list. Texas Com. and Mexican Petroleum were 1 to 1/2 pts higher, with similar advances in the war shares, motors and in specialties, including Tennessee and American Tobacco. Rails relatively inactive, with fractional movement in Baltimore and Ohio, removal of strength today as a result of Liverpool advices that were more bullish than had been expected, Argentine shipments to Europe, although increased, were said to be disappointing as to volume, whereas import needs especially in Great Britain, seemed to be on the increase. Buying here, however, was light, and the announcement of fresh embargoes against Philadelphia and Baltimore had an unsettling effect. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged figures to 1/2 higher, with May at 1.33 to 1.33 1/2 and July at 1.25 to 1.25 1/2, were followed by a moderate general advance and then a sharp setback, but not of a lasting sort. Advices of additional embargoes, this

week's steers 84.10@89.00; cows and heifers 83.00@84.25; calves 85.00@111.25. Sheep—Receipts 10,400; show: ewers 87.00@88.25; lambs 85.50@110.00.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Feb. 3.—Hogs—Flow: culls 4.00; pickers and butchers 68.45; pigs and lights 80.00@77.00. Cattle—Receipts 300; steady; heifers 81.50@87.00; cows 81.00@82.25; steady 81.50@111.25.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Feb. 3.—Cattle—Receipts 100; steady. Cows—Receipts 150; steady.

TERMINALS

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quainted all knowledge of the story save that they had heard it.

oldest residents of the village.
Lewis Leslie, of Stewartsville,
is able to get out after an extended
illness. Mrs. Leslie is confined
to her home with grip.
Oscar Coburn, Sr., councilman,
of Gallia street, who has been ill
with grip for several weeks, is
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RIVER OVER 42 FEET

THURSDAY MORNING'S STAGES

Franklin, 51 ft. and falling.
Rainfall .04.
Greensboro, 12.2 ft. and falling.
Rainfall .20.
Pittsburg, 11.9 ft. and falling.
Rainfall .10.
Wheeling, 19 ft. and rising. No rainfall.
Zanesville, 16.4 ft. and falling.
Rainfall .01.
Parkersburg, 24.5 ft. and falling.
Rainfall .10.
Charleston, 13 ft. and rising.
Rainfall .08.
Huntington, 36.8 ft. and rising.
Rainfall .04.
Catsburg, 38.3 ft. and rising.

Rainfall .08.
Portsmouth, 41.4 ft. and rising.
Trace.
Cincinnati, 43 ft. and rising.
No rainfall.

The government gauge Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock registered 42 feet even and rising a quarter of an inch per hour. Local rivermen do not anticipate more than another foot of water, and disagree with government forecasts that the river will still be rising here Friday.

Forecaster Deveraux, of Cincinnati, wired Local Forecaster H. C. Donally as follows Thursday morning: "Fair over upper

Ohio valley tonight and probably Friday. River at Portsmouth will rise slowly tonight and Friday, becoming stationary by Friday night."

Local rivermen who did not expect the rise to exceed the 40 ft. mark here had their calculations upset by the Parkersburg water which was passing here Thursday morning. While forecasts have it that the river will continue rising here all day and Friday it will be at a gradually decreasing rate and probably not reach 45 feet. It requires this height to submerge the towpath.

Friday's packet departures are announced as follows: Str. Greenwood down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m.; Str. Tacoma up for Pomeroy at 2 p. m.; Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

Conditions in Arizona in a business way are better right now than they have been for many years. Copper that costs but 8 cents to market is being sold for 25 1/2 cents and mine owners are simply rolling in wealth," Attorney W. R. Sprague said Thursday upon his arrival home from Tucson, Ariz.

"In Tucson I found every branch of business flourishing and the city is enjoying its greatest boom. Really, near boom times seem to exist in the southwest, at least that is what business men in Tucson told me," Mr. Sprague continued.

Mr. Sprague had planned to visit Phoenix and other points in Arizona, but owing to the Colorado river overflowing its banks he was unable to go to Phoenix. He was marooned three days in Tucson when the Santa Cruz bridge was swept out. It was the only bridge near Tucson, and un-

til a temporary one was built no trains were operated out of that city. Mr. Sprague says Tucson is a fine little city of 10,000 and its average temperature is around 68.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Christopher Fred Etzkorn, 26, an electrician and Laura A. Barr, 24, both of this city, Rev. J. E. McGurk.

BIRTHS

A son was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Workman, of Eleventh street. Mr. Workman is employed by the N. & W.

A baby son was born to Constable Henry Benner and wife at their home on the Scioto Trail Wednesday noon. Henry is now the proud father of two boys and a girl.

A baby boy was born to Earl Metzger and wife at their home in Pond Run, Wednesday night.

Mr. Thompson Appointed

Truman E. Thompson, of Young, was named in probate court Thursday afternoon as guardian of Everett M. Thompson, 10, minor heir of the late Ella L. Thompson, of Young. The estate of his ward consists of \$1700 personal and \$2500 real property.

B. & O. S. W. Improvements

The B. & O. S. W. is fitting up a train register office for crews in the northwest corner of its local passenger depot.

ACCUSED WOMAN FAINTS AND TRIAL IS HALTED

The trial of the case of the State of Ohio against Marie Ferguson Churchill, charged with shooting with intent to wound, which opened in common pleas court Thursday morning before Judge Corn of Ironton, came to an abrupt close shortly after the noon recess when the defendant swooned away into unconsciousness as she was being led into the court room by Sheriff Smith for the afternoon session.

Dr. C. W. Wendelken happened to be in the court room and promptly administered restoratives. Mrs. Churchill revived in a few minutes, and was later removed to the female ward of the county jail. Judge Corn continued the case indefinitely and

announced that the defendant could secure her release from custody by furnishing bond in the sum of \$500.

Mrs. Churchill, it is alleged, fired twice at Frank Poole, a farmer residing on Frederick Creek, on November 7 last, after Poole had requested her to discontinue her visits to his home.

She was indicted on four separate counts, two charging her with shooting with intent to wound, one with shooting with intent to kill, and the other with carrying concealed weapons. She entered pleas of not guilty to all

four counts, and the prosecuting attorney elected Thursday morning to try her in the charge of shooting with intent to wound.

The state rested its case before noon Thursday after having examined three witnesses, Mr. and Mrs. Poole and a neighbor, John Mason, reputed to be the star witness for the defense, testified before the noon recess, but his testimony in some instances supported the charge, it is claimed.

Attorneys for Mrs. Churchill are Sheppard and Dever and they are trying to arrange bond for her.

Going On Enquirer

E. W. Gableman, better known as "Bud", has accepted a position on the Cincinnati Enquirer, a newspaper staff and will enter the employ of that paper on next Monday.

Mr. Gableman has been a reporter on the Times for several years and previous to that was a reporter on Lima, Ohio, papers. Since coming with the Times Mr. Gableman has made for himself an enviable reputation as an all

around newspaper man. He has not only been praised by local citizens, who admired the honesty and accuracy with which he reported various news items, but has been generously praised by many prominent visitors with whom he came in contact.

The Times regards him as one of the best newspaper men ever on its staff, and while sorry to lose him rejoices that his merit has been recognized by such a paper as the Cincinnati Enquirer.

To Protect Point; Slides Discussed

The board of control at a called meeting Thursday afternoon considered the Damarin hill slide and slip at Scioto Point preparatory to taking up the matters with city council at its adjourned session Friday night.

It was decided to drive piling at the point to protect the old Wendelken feed store building

and flood wall west of Scioto street against caving in. Just what recommendation will be made with regard to the Damarin hill situation will be worked out by the service department and council street committee.

OBITUARY

Mrs. J. S. Morgan.

Melissa Catharine Morgan was born in Columbiana county, Ohio, January 15, 1838, and departed this life January 24, 1916, at her late home in New Boston, Ohio.

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TAKE YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS TO STEWART'S

Prize Brute

Allen Yates, an employee of the Ohio Stove Foundry, was sentenced to six months in the Cincinnati workhouse by Judge Beatty, Thursday afternoon, for failure to provide and assault Yates, the evidence disclosed, attacked his wife, who is in a delicate condition, Wednesday, and beat her severely. According to witnesses he has been on a protracted spree.

Mother Dies

The Glen Roy, Jackson county woman, Mrs. Luke Seidlock, who while seated before a grate Tuesday reached for a bottle of medicine to give a dose to her sick child only to set fire to her clothes, died of her burns, Wednesday. The mother succeeded in saving the baby but sacrificed her own life. She was the wife of a coal miner.

Won't Take Responsibility

The city water works officials have concluded not to assume responsibility for Engineer Johnson, of the John H. McGowan Company, giving up his post at the pumping station before the plant is accepted. If he goes it will be of his own choosing, they feel his services may yet be needed. His service is charged up to the city, and the extras of the McGowan contract.

Repainting Auto

John Carrol, proprietor of the Old Ford and Motor Store is putting him some time repainting his Ford automobile.

FOUND NEW WAY TO INCREASE WEIGHT

Thinks Many Thin People Get No More Than Half Value From Their Meals

Rundown Underweight Men and Women Who Sought Missing Link Between Food Eating and Flesh Making Reported Gain From 10 to 25 Pounds

If the sugar you put in your morning's coffee had not dissolved it would not have sweetened your coffee. If fifty percent of the flesh, fat, and tissue building nourishment of your meals is never assimilated by your body as waste, it is no wonder you stay thin, rundown, lack strength, and are from ten to twenty-five pounds underweight.

Numerous tests seem to prove that many thin people stay thin because of defective assimilation of their food. They eat enough but get little or no good from it and seemingly have missed the link between food eating and flesh making.

In an effort to correct this condition there has been found a preparation called Sargol which taken at meals, helps to prepare the nourishing flesh-building properties of your food, so that the blood may more readily absorb them. Sargol's aim is to develop the flesh building values in your food, to improve your assimilation and to check the wastes of valuable nourishment that may now be going on in your system. Its action is both natural and harmless and its results can be judged from the gratifying reports of many of its users, who from ten to twenty-five pounds that followed its use. Fisher & Streich and many other leading druggists are offering Sargol to their customers guaranteeing to refund the full purchase price where satisfactory weight increase is not obtained from its use for sixty days as directed.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The new term of the gym classes, lasting twelve weeks, will start on Thursday night (tonight) at 7 o'clock, under the direction of Miss Edith Brittain, the physical director. There will be two classes, one in floor gymnastics, the other in athletics.

On next Tuesday evening the beginners' class will start at the gym. Twenty-five girls have already joined this class and more are expected. Two games of basketball will be played during the evening, giving each girl an opportunity to play.

Miss Edith Stanton, of New York, secretary of the National Y. W. C. A. Board, is a guest of the local Y. W. C. A. this week. Mrs. Alan N. Jordan is giving a tea in her honor at her home on Fourth street this afternoon. Friends and members of the Y. W. C. A. were extended cordial invitations to come. Ten high school girls assisted in serving.

The All-Around Girl

The girl who can paddle a canoe, win a tennis match, bowl, skate on ice or rollers, play basketball and do the hundred and one other physical "stunts" works harder, plays fairer and is more help to her family, her friends, her employer, and her community than her sister who is not acquainted with any of the all-the-year-around activities of recreation and sport life.

To be responsible nationally for promoting the right kind of physical education and recreation among girls is a big undertaking, yet that is the particular province of Dr. Anna L. Brown, secretary for Hygiene and Physical Education of the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Association. Dr. Brown believes that standards of efficiency for women should be based upon an understanding of how to conserve and develop physical powers.

The Young Women's Christian Association has been one of the most active agencies in popularizing physical education as the foundation of health and happiness in the lives of girls and women. There is now rec-

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Portsmouth people who bought the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-Ka are surprised at the INSTANT effect of a SINGLE SPOONFUL. This remedy is so complete a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. Adler-Ka acts on BOTH upper and lower bowels and ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach, ONE MINUTE after you take it. The gases rumble and pass out, Withered, dried, drugless.

All the activities, whether in the nature of social or physical training, are based upon physical hygiene, in dress, diet, care of the person, exercise and rest. The department hopes to be in a position soon to lay down tried and true types of physical training for women, adapted to race, occupation and living conditions; and underlying these is the basis to develop a well defined code on the efficient use of physical powers and the responsibility of all women to give equal thought to their physical, intellectual and spiritual well-being and efficiency. It is only under such well-balanced conditions that they attain their best and be of the most service to those with whom they come in contact either personally or through any medium by which they are enabled to express themselves.

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aged 78 years and 9 days. She was a daughter of Samuel and Catharine Farmer. During her childhood her parents moved to Scioto county, where she lived the greater part of life. She was a devout member of the Methodist church to which she remained faithful until her death.

Being of a kind, sweet, loving disposition, she was always considerate of others and was best known by her relatives and friends alike, as "Aunt Kit." It can truly be said of her, none knew her but to love her, none named her but to praise.

On January 17, 1861, she was united in marriage to Josiah S. Morgan, who survives her, together with three sisters and a number of other relatives.

Although not in the best of health for some time past she was confined to her bed but a few days with the grip and it was not thought that the end was so near; but pneumonia fever developed, she received her final summons shortly after noon January 24.

God in his goodness and who doeth all things well, saw fit to call her and the Death Angel stole in so softly, touched her brow and her soul, so pure, so good, took its flight from this world of trouble and care, to that better, happy land above.

The funeral took place from the M. E. church at Lucasville, Ohio, where she had lived twenty-five years of her life, at 9 o'clock on the morning of January 26, conducted by Rev. Peismayr, who was assisted by Rev. R. D. Morgan, of Columbus, brother-in-law of the deceased. Upon the request of Rev. Morgan "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" was most beautifully rendered by the choir during the funeral services, after which the remains were borne to its last resting place in the Lucasville cemetery.

Mrs. Mary McGlothlin

A hemorrhage of the brain, superinduced, it is thought, by a violent coughing spell, the result of an attack of grip, is given as the cause of the sudden death of Mrs. Mary McGlothlin, widow of the late Joseph McGlothlin. She passed away at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of her son, George W. McGlothlin, of Carey's Run, where she was tenderly cared for during her declining days.

Mrs. McGlothlin was born in New York State, November 13, 1844. She came to Ohio when three years old and practically her entire life was spent in this vicinity.

The deceased is survived by two sons, George, of Carey's Run, and Milton G., who conducts a grocery store on Eleventh street, this city. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Jane Winn, of Columbus, and Mrs. Margaret Hall, of this city. Mrs. McGlothlin was a member of the First Baptist church of this city and was a fine Christian woman. She was ever true to her friends and was always kind and considerate of others. Her life was replete with deeds of kindness that endeared her to a wide circle of friends.

Conrad Gerlach
Conrad Gerlach, prominent farmer of Franklin Furnace, and one of the pioneer farmers of the county, died at his home near

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TWO REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY WITH CHARLES MURRAY AND
THE KEYSTONE COMEDIANS. A REGULAR RIOT OF FUN AND LAUGHTER**Flourishes Gun And Also A
Knife; 2 Fines; Police News**

Laural Polly, colored, was before Mayor Kaps in police court, Wednesday evening on two separate charges.

Polly had staged a gun play at the Busy Bee restaurant on Eleventh street, flourishing an old rusty unloaded gun to which he pleaded guilty, denying a \$10 fine but pleaded not guilty to threatening to cut Harry Johnson. The evidence showed, however that he had also flourished a knife and the mayor fined him \$25 and costs additional and sentenced him to 30 days in the county jail.

Frank Luther stoutly maintained his innocence of the charge of stealing a \$5 pair of shoes from Fred Klingman's store although several witnesses testified to having seen him in that vicinity. His family put up pleas of being badly in need of his support and he was let off with a suspended fine of \$25 and costs and 30 day jail sentence on condition that he does not return again.

George Turner and William White were named given by two men fined \$5 each for fighting at the N. & W. depot Tuesday night. A plain drunk giving the name of Louis Thornton was fined \$5. Patrick Kelly, a lube machinist, who had been arrested for begging on the streets, was fined \$10. Thomas Murphy, who claimed Cleveland, as his home, was fined \$5 for sleeping off a jag in a box car alongside the Portsmouth Store and Range Works. When searched a razor was found snugly tucked away in a leather pouch underneath his shirt, resting on his chest and suspended from a couple of strings around his neck.

SWING YOUR PARTNER

Quadrille dance to be given Saturday evening, February 5 at the old Eagle hall, Sixth and Chillicothe streets. All are cordially invited. Sponsors and Worthy committee.

Gaiety Club Coffee. Melon, Aromatic, Puget, Delicious. 15-13Tues, Thurs, Sat

**Four Long, Weary
Years Of Headaches**

Many mortals have passed through experiences that would have seemed utterly unbearable had the circumstances of what was meted out to them been previously known.

Such a case as this has been that of Mrs. Sarah Warnock, of 1302 Kenyon St., Portsmouth. Mrs. Warnock has the very interesting statement to make, viz: "For four years I have suffered the tortures of the rack, from headaches that had baffled the skill of doctors, and every remedy conceivable, until I heard of Taulac, the new medicine that has recently come to Portsmouth. I can hardly realize that I have not had a headache since taking the first few doses of this medicine, which has been almost two months ago. Taulac is a wonderful medicine, and I will never be without it."

In order to be convinced of the merit of Taulac, one may even not be compelled to go out of the block in which he lives to hear its praises sung.

Taulac is the most effective of medicines in instances of catarrh of the head, throat and stomach, liver, kidney and intestinal troubles, nervousness, headaches, rheumatism and general debility. Taulac, known as the "Master-Medicine," is on sale at the "Taulac Corner," in Portsmouth, Sixth & Chillicothe Sts., by the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy where representatives, direct from the laboratory where this medicine is compounded, are explaining it to large crowds daily. Taulac is on sale at New Boston by the Barnette Coburn Drug Store.—Adv.

Notice: The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy wishes to state that as the Portsmouth agents for Taulac, that it has come under their observation that the greatest

**POSTOFFICE
DISCONTINUED**

It was announced Thursday that the post-office at Casata, on Turkey Creek, on the West Side, had been discontinued and hereafter the mail from this place would be handled through the Friendship office. J. B. Becker, a merchant at Casata, acted as postmaster while an office was maintained there.

Ask my customers about my work. Brehmer, the Painter. 1-tf

**Driver's Quick Act
Prevents Smash-up**

The quick act of Tom Justice, driver of the Hill-top fire engine company's steamer team, avoided what might have been a bad accident during the run to the Harshu fire early Wednesday morning. The Hill-top company was speeding down Hutchins avenue and the engine had crossed the railroad tracks on Tenth street, with the steamer following, when an N. & W. west-bound passenger train going at a moderate rate of speed ran directly between them. Justice swung his galloping steeds in Tenth street and down the tracks just in time to prevent a pile-up against the train. Capt. Fred Hughes reported the facts to Fire Chief George Keorner, who may lodge a protest with the railroad company officials. It is claimed the engineer, after seeing the red cross, should have brought his train to a stop and permitted the bound passenger train going at a

NEW SUMMER RESORT

I have eight or ten lots left, 50 Kentucky, also up and down river, foot front at Linwood, on the river front. Very desirable for summer camps. Nice view of Both phones. 3-3t

**"THE REGENERATION OF
AUNT MARY" PLEASED**

A refreshing, wholesome comedy with a vein of philosophy threading it was enjoyed by an audience seeing May Robson in "The Regeneration of Aunt Mary" at the Sun theatre Wednesday night. Manager Lee promised his patrons a high class show and kept his promise well for the continuous applause and peals of laughter were unsolicited tributes to the casto and its efforts and of the audience's appreciation.

May Robson as Aunt Mary, good hearted, jovial, stern, cleverly impersonated the role and entirely won the hearts of her listeners. Supported by an exceptionally well balanced cast, with Jack Story as Denham Jack and Elizabeth Warren as Betty Barnett, cleverly leading in "Aunt Mary's" following, the production proved decidedly agreeable and refreshing and left a desire

in the hearts of all for many similar offerings in Portsmouth.

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The World's Greatest External Remedy.
Backache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Any Local Pain.
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Recall Pearl Bryan Tragedy

One year ago yesterday, February 2, was the twentieth anniversary of the finding of the headless body of Pearl Bryan, on the Lock farm near Fort Thomas, Ky. Some of our readers may have forgotten, and others may never have known, that the trail lead directly through Portsmouth when the work of running to earth of the murderer began. The head not being there of course there was no means of identifying the body. In this emergency a shoe dealer of Newport rose to the occasion, and took one of the shoes of the murdered girl, examined it and saw that it was made at the shoe factory of George D. Selby & Co., Portsmouth, Ohio. This was a tip hot enough for any one, and a detective and the shoe dealer took the first train for this city, taking the shoe with them. Arrived here they went immediately to the Selby factory and called on George D. Selby personally, showed him the shoe, and without stating their business asked him if he knew anything about the shoe. Yes, he did. It was a new line of shoes he was introducing, and thus far they had only shipped one order, and that was to a dealer in Greencastle, Ind.

The shipping clerk was called in, with his books, and it was soon discovered that the order was shipped to Greencastle, to a certain dealer on a certain date. The trail was getting hotter, and the detective and Newport shoe dealer took the first train to Cincinnati, then to the Indiana town. Arrived there they showed the dealer the shoe and asked him if he knew anything about it.

He looked over his books and discovered that he had sold the shoe to a Miss Pearl Bryan, on a certain date. They went to the Bryan home and found the mother, who said her daughter was visiting relatives in Indianapolis. Then to Indianapolis went the detective and the shoe dealer, and to the home of the relatives, and learned that Pearl Bryan was not there, and had not been there. Back to Greencastle, where it was learned that the girl had purchased a ticket to Cincinnati instead of Indianapolis, and to Cincinnati the detective and the shoe dealer went, located the house where the girl had boarded, and arrested two medical students, named Walling and Jackson, who were tried, convicted and executed. The tragedy shocked the nation. The head of the murdered girl was found several years after the tragedy, not very far from where the body was discovered. Some of her splendid hair was still clinging to the skull. Mr. Selby has no ambition in the line of Sherlock Holmes, but he and the New-

**OLD SORES, ULCERS
AND ECZEMA VANISH**

Good, Old, Reliable Peterson's Ointment a Favorite Remedy
"That it cures on my legs, feet, and all over my body, Peterson's Ointment cured me."—Wm. J. Nichols, 40 Wilder St., Rochester, N. Y.
Get a large box for 25 cents at any drugstore, says Peterson, and money back if it isn't the best you ever used. Always keep Peterson's Ointment in the house. Fine for burns, scalds, bruises, skin eruptions, and the surest remedy for itching eczema and piles the world has ever known.
"Peterson's Ointment is the best for bleeding and itching piles I ever found."—Major Charles E. Whitney, Vineyard Haven, Mass.
"Peterson's Ointment has given great satisfaction for Salt Rheum."—Mrs. J. L. Wells, Caylerville, N. Y.
All druggists sell it, recommend it.

port shoe dealer are certainly entitled to credit for starting the detectives on a hot trail. John B. Lock, on whose farm the body was found, lived in Portsmouth in his boyhood, and will be remembered by many as "Jack" Lock.

GENERALS ARRESTED

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 3.—General Rafael Castro, a former member of Villa's body guard, and Bernardo Del Turro, a Villa adherent are under arrest here. They are being held for examination, it was said today, in connection with alleged recruiting activities on behalf of a revolutionary movement in Mexico.

**VEGETABLE
CALOMEL**

Vegetable calomel, extract of the root of the old-fashioned may-apple plant, does not salivate. As a liver stimulant, it's great. It's a perfect substitute for ordinary calomel (mercury); in fact, it's better, because its action is gentle instead of severe and irritating—and it leaves no mean, disagreeable after-effects. Physicians recognize this and prescribe the vegetable root (podosphyllin, they call it) daily.

Combined with four other standard, all-vegetable remedies, may-apple root may now be had at most any druggist's in convenient sugar-coated tablet form by asking for Santalene Laxation. If you forget the name, ask for the box that has the picture of the soldier on it. These tablets are small, easy to take and are really wonderful little performers.

They quickly clean out the poison that attacks your head, constipation, sour stomach, biliousness, dizzy spells, bad breath and coated tongue. They are mild. They never gripe. And they are a bowel tonic as well as a cleanser and liver regulator. A 10c box should last you several weeks. A Physician's trial package (4 doses) will be mailed you free if you write mentioning this advertisement. The Santalene Remedies Co., 802 Madison Ave., Covington, Ky.

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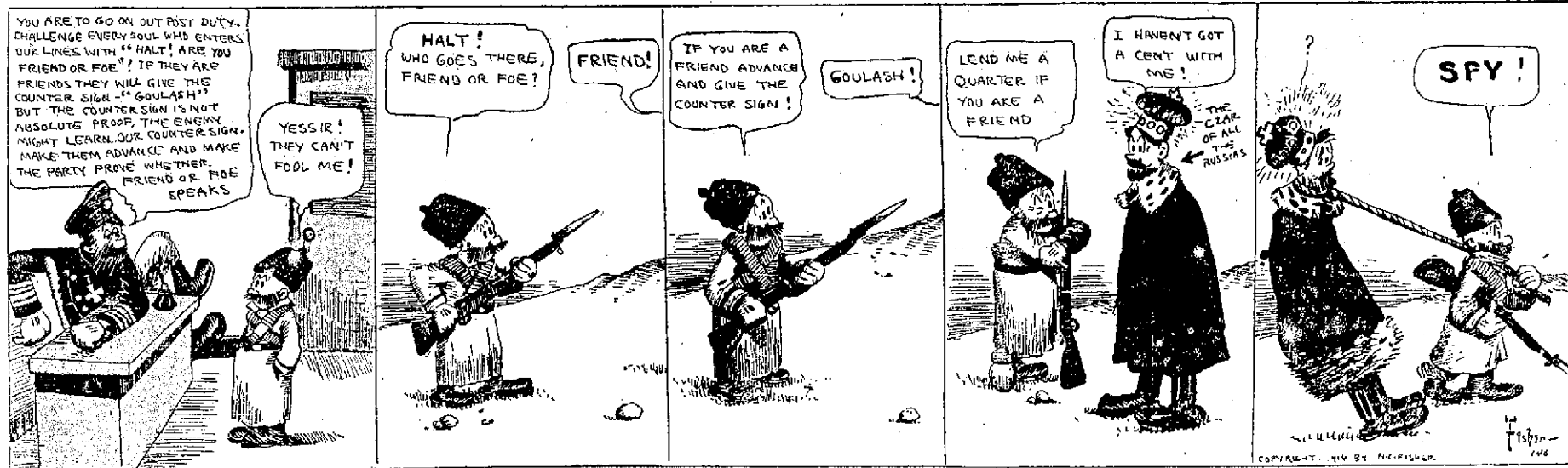
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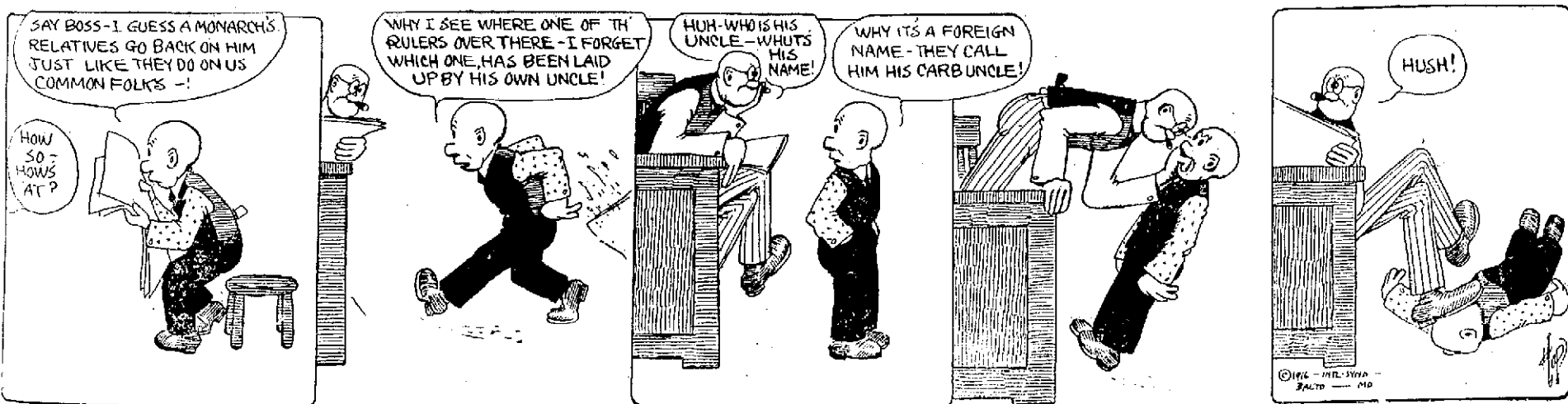
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REPORTER****Not A Nice Relative To Have**

By "HOP"





Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60.

down stairs to the telephone at a boarding house? Understand, I'm not in the habit of doing such things. I mean in an emergency, when I do not have time to dress.

PRISONER

It isn't the thing a person does that counts nearly as much as the way it is done. Some girls could wear a kimono and appear just as lady-like as though they were dressed for the street, while others would let their kimono fly and have a sloppy, undressed appearance.

Dear Miss Wise—I am a married woman, but I did not marry my first sweetheart. He is married now. One evening we met and he made me acquainted with his wife and she promised to call on me, but she never did. When she is with him she never speaks to me. He speaks if he is not with her. Would you advise me to quit speaking to both of them?

I do not want to make trouble for anyone, because I have a home of my own. I attend strictly to my own business. MISS S. M. Let them speak to you first.

Dear Miss Wise—Is it contrary to any law for a person to write to the mayor or any other person along general lines, without signing one's name?

There is no law to the contrary. However, letters with a name signed to them usually receive more attention.

Dear Miss Wise—I weigh 150 pounds. Do you think I would look too big in a sweater?

It depends upon your height and the weight of the sweater. You, yourself, ought to be able to decide whether it makes you look larger.

Dear Miss Wise—Is it proper to wear a kimono when one is called?

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Count the 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) into a pint bottle and all the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. The total cost is about 64 cents, and gives you a full pint—a family supply—of a most effective remedy, at a saving of 50 cents. As the use will usually overcome a hard cough. Easily prepared in 5 minutes—full directions with Pinex. Keeps perfectly and has a pleasant taste. Children like it.

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It's women's favorite hair tonic because it gives to the hair a brilliancy and lustre that fascinates and compels admiration. Fisher and Streich have scores of people who use Parisian Sage regularly and will tell you all about it.

Four generations are represented in the family reunion that is being held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gentry, of Lucasville, Thursday, Feb. 3, at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Gentry, mother of Mrs. Gentry, Mrs. Gentry, son, Harold, Jr. A. Gentry, Misses Edna Ruth, Nora Huffner, Clara Miller, Margaret Scherer, Messrs. Fred N. Tynes, Charles Masson, William Whalen.

At Mrs. Samuel Horech's tea yesterday, when she entertained the Woman's Literary Club and a few friends, an account of which was published in last night's Times, had a fine display of curios, most of which were brought from Austria. The crystal glasses were over two hundred years old and belonged to Mr. Horech's family, having been handed down several generations. They were brought from his old home, Brody, Galicia, Austria. The list, one of which was presented to the guests, is as follows:

No. 1—A china flower pot made at the Royal Potteries at Leipzig, Germany.

No. 2—Eidolons, a flower picked on the highest summits of the Alps.

No. 3—The Lion of Tazern, hand-carved in wood.

No. 4—Porcelain vase and natural flowers petrified in the geyser at Carlsbad.

No. 5—A miniature Tyrolean hat, which the natives of Tyrol and the visiting tourists wear.

No. 6—Genuine coral beads, found in the ocean, which are cut into various shapes in a factory in Vienna.

No. 7—Linen made of genuine flax and spun by the peasants of Russia and Galicia.

No. 8—Picture frame of mosaic work, bought in Florence, Italy.

No. 9—Flask of Italian perfume, for which Italy is famous.

No. 10—A cut-glass hanging basket, made in Carlsbad, which place is famous for Bohemian and cut glass.

No. 11—Various coins of Germany in use and obsolete.

No. 12—Seagull from Zurich, where they are very numerous on the Lake Zurich and Vierwaldstattersee.

No. 13—Doll, showing how the Germans dress their babies.

No. 14—Doll representing a Swiss peasant in holiday attire.

No. 15—Medallion painted by a Vienna artist, Herr Carl Fischer, who won a medal at the St. Louis exposition for his work.

No. 16—Russian samovar, used by the people of Russia as a water-bath to hold water in, to keep their tea. The fire is kept up by the use of charcoal in the fire.

No. 17—A horse-hair bracelet, made by a prisoner in the fortress of Stanlen, Austria, some twenty years ago.

No. 18—Two Venetian glass vases nearly 200 years old.

No. 19—Painting from Italy.

No. 20—Gall cup used in olden times as a wine glass.

No. 21—Pair of scissors from Norway.

No. 22—A Turkish hand of silver with fine filigree work. The first of the kind ever produced.

No. 23—Crucifix of British Bohemian glass, by John Schickel, artist.

No. 24—Four antique porcelain samovars, made in the 17th century.

No. 25—Two glass wine glasses, the oldest of the present style of Bohemian glass, by John Schickel, artist, who won a medal at the St. Louis exposition for his work.

No. 26—A pair of miniature wood-

carved figures, made in the 17th century.

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No. 33—A pair of miniature wood-carved figures, made in the 17th century.

The New Century Club held a delightful meeting yesterday afternoon at the pretty home of Mrs. George W. Grimes, where there were twenty-five present. The excellent program included papers on "Philanthropy" by Miss Isabel Kinney, who had "Philanthropists of Portsmouth."

Mrs. James Williams' paper was "Philanthropy" and Mrs. Earl Lawson gave "Philanthropists of Our Country and Foreign Countries."

Mrs. Cartwright, of Delaware, was present and gave a talk on Social Purity and Mrs. James A. Hager gave the Current Events. Arrangements were made to offer prizes for the boy who could build the best bird house to aid in protecting the birds.

It was also decided to give a play at the club parlors February 11th. Mrs. Lena Kline Reed will be in charge of the play, "As Others See Us," and in addition to this there will be a musical program in charge of Mesdames William Doerr, R. B. Cunningham, J. N. Ellison, B. W. Hopkins and James A. Hager. The characters of the play will be as follows:

A club woman, Mrs. Pennywit (Mrs. Mytinger) gives a valentine request in honor of two talented guests, a noted pianist, Mrs. Carman (Mrs. Ferguson), and a Japanese girl studying kindergarten methods in America, Miss Fugi-Yama (Miss Salome Augustin).

Mrs. Pennywit is assisted by her friend, Mrs. Van Morgan, (Mrs. Dr. Marshall and Marshall).

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PUTTING DOLLY WISE, WISE

Dear Dolly: When you are asked how to make a cake, name a baby, or help out in case of a family row, you are sure all to the good. But listen: If you expect to sustain your reputation for wisdom, don't fail to tell the next applicant for a remedy for the gripe to "Just telephone to Flood & Blake's No. 93 for a box of Bromo Copsie, 25c." It never fails.

Yours truly, ISSIE SNEEZEN.

P. S. They sold 87 boxes yesterday.

Mrs. Philip Knost was hostess at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the J. F. Club at her home on Franklin avenue, honoring her sister, Mrs. Arthur Cox, of Newark. The meeting was small on account of the illness of several of the members. The afternoon was spent in needlework and music. The hostess served a delectable repast at the end of the delightful afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Hall will be hostess at the next meeting of the Saturday Afternoon Whist Club, February 19th.

Mrs. S. D. Ruggles entertained the Princeton as an informal luncheon today at one o'clock, as a farewell to Mrs. J. W. Dunning, who leaves soon for her new home in Michigan. Covers were laid for Mesdames J. W. Dunning, F. L. Manning, W. H. Schwartz, C. M. Seal, Win. Nye, Harley Marenmet, W. D. Gililand, J. A. Booker, Miss Margaret Miller. The absent members were Mrs. W. H. Bart, Mrs. A. E. Ferard and Mrs. Maurice Coo. After luncheon the hours were whiled away with needlework.

Mr. and Mrs. James Williams, of Sixth street, left Thursday for Ashland, Ky., where they were called by the death of a relative.

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The Cash Grocer

Miss Mary Varner entertained with three tables of bridge last evening at her home on Timmonds avenue, in honor of her cousin, Miss Rachel Gregg, of Hackensack, N. J. The guests were Misses Nell Turley, Elizabeth Bannon, Marie Bauer, Rachel Gregg, Messrs. Charles Turley, Wallace Drew, Weiss, James Williams, W. C. Armentrout and William Bolles. Miss Elizabeth Bannon won the highest score and was presented with a sewing case. Mr. Charles Turley won a leather collar bag. Delicious refreshments followed the game.

The guests are the different types to be met at a reception.

The club woman, who gives interesting lectures—Mrs. Floyd Fuller.

A prominent member of the D. A. B.—Mrs. Earl Lawson.

The president of the Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. W. S. Walker.

A society woman, whose entertainments are very popular—Mrs. Frank E. Duduit.

A suffragette, much interested in politics—Mrs. W. J. Keyes.

Mrs. Grims served cake and coffee.

Miss Miriam Crawford will entertain with a luncheon Friday, complimentary to Miss Rachel Gregg, of Hackensack, N. J., who is visiting her cousins, Miss Mary Varner and Miss Elizabeth Bannon.

John McCormack, the famous Irish tenor, of whom it has been recently said that he is the greatest singer in the world, will fill an engagement at the Auditorium in Huntington on the evening of March 14th. The McCormack concert takes the place of the April Concert announced for the Huntington Choral Association and calls for a guarantee of \$2500.

Mrs. Alan Jordan's handsome home was the scene of an informal tea this afternoon when the Y. W. C. A. officers entertained in honor of Miss Edith Stanton, of New York, who stopped here on her way to California, for a short visit. In the receiving line were Mrs. Henry Heacox, president; Miss Stanton, Miss Heacox, general secretary of the Y. W. C. A.; Mrs. Alan Jordan, vice-president. The tea was poured by Miss Edna Streich, one of the vice-

presidents, and served by several attractive young high school girls. Assisting in the hospitalities were Mesdames W. H. Schwartz and Arthur Willey, two other vice-presidents. Mrs. D. A. Berndt, W. G. Williams, Misses Lollie Anderson and Alice Blake. The affair was very delightful, Miss Stanton being much admired, as she is a very charming woman.

A request for every member of Bailey Relief Corps 43 to visit one or more of the public schools during this month of the birthday of patriots. By request of the patriotic inspector. HATTIE C. JOHNSON.

Mrs. M. A. Finley, of Summit street, and Mrs. James R. Thompson, of Twentieth street, arrived home last evening from East Lynn, W. Va., where they visited Mrs. A. B. Clark, sister of Mrs. Finley.

The home of Mrs. Matilda Erwin, of 2032 Walnut street, was the scene of a delightful "Leap Year" party Tuesday evening. The young ladies escorted their gentlemen friends and presented them with lapel bouquets of roses, carnations and smilax. Various games and music were indulged in and dancing to Victrola music.

The dining room was decorated with cut flowers, ferns and red hearts, in keeping with St. Valentine's Day. Mrs. Erwin was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Edward Hyatt, in serving the hot supper. The following young folks enjoyed the evening:

Be Careful in Using Soap on Your Hair

Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain molasses coconut oil, for it is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats the most expensive soaps or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

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REJECT CHRIST AND SALVATION'S WAY IS LOST

Fine Sermon At The Union Revival; Plans Made For Sunday Meetings

Wednesday Evening, Feb. 2, 1916.
(By H. L. Smith.)

By seven o'clock the gallery was filled and center portion of the first floor taken. Promptly at 7:15, Prof. Grant and his choir of forty voices started the singing. By this time the entire church auditorium was filled. Miss Aylesworth was assisted with the music by Mr. Walter Clausen, Mr. Albert Clausen, Miss Alice Blake and Mr. Kugelman. This orchestra rendered several beautiful musical numbers at the opening.

While the choir was singing its first number, Evangelist Reed, accompanied by Mrs. Reed, arrived. After a few minutes consultation with Rev. A. L. Marting of the Fourth St. M. E. church, Mr. Reed went upon the platform. Mr. Reed made the following announcements:

Prayer meetings in the morning, as usual.
Noon meetings in the shops.
Tomorrow night as usual.
Rev. Strecker made this report.

The Board of Directors decided that Sunday morning each church will hold its own service and each hold a collection for Mr. Reed. Also at the afternoon and evening union meetings a collection will be taken for Mr. Reed.

The Misses Aylesworth sang a duet entitled, "You Must Do Something With Jesus-Tonight", after which Mr. Reed spoke on "The Unpardonable Sin."

The Sermon
"Whosoever sinneth against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven neither in this world or in the world to come."

"What is the difference between sinning against the Son and against the Holy Ghost? To sin against the Son is to reject the Son, while to sin against the Holy Ghost is to reject Him with full knowledge of the gospel light. Profanity is not sinning against the Holy Ghost. Profanity is on the increase among women."

"Drunkness is not sinning against the Holy Ghost."
"Immorality is not sinning against the Holy Ghost."

"These have been all forgiven. It is the rejecting of the Son in the full blaze of the gospel light. The Pharisees had great evidence that Jesus was indeed the

Unpardonable Sin Subject Of A Great Sermon At Trinity

(By Milford Keyes)

The "Unpardonable Sin" was ably and picturesquely handled by Evangelist Reed last night at Trinity. The crowd was very large, and the evangelist was at his best, though rather more serious and wrapped up in his subject than usual. The humorous anecdotes and personal happenings were not so much in evidence as on many former occasions. The seriousness of the subject seemed to engross him. The unpardonable sin, he said, was not profanity, not gambling, not immorality, not rejecting the virtues of the Holy Spirit. There were men and women in the audience who were hearing this call of the spirit and they were hearing it for the last time, he said. When God recalls his spirit on account of persistent refusal to hearken to it the rejecting soul is damned forever. He took his text from Matthew 12:32: "Whosoever speaketh against the Holy Spirit, it shall not be forgiven him, neither in this world, neither in the world to come."

It was an awful thing, he said, to sin against the Holy Spirit. The vilest man or woman in the world, if he or she keeps the heart open to the divine call, is not in so much danger as the sinning church member who rejects the call. He referred to the Magdalen and to the thief on the cross as evidence that God is ready to save any one, no odds how vile, if the person is willing to surrender. Unsaved church members seemed to be especially on his mind.

Announcements of meetings were made, and Rev. Strecker spoke of the final offering to be made Sunday the same to go to the evangelist. Each Methodist congregation will hold services at its own church in the morning and a collection for the evangelist will then be taken up. In the afternoon and evening there will be union meetings at Trinity when offerings will again be received.

Notes.
The evangelist, in speaking of profane swearing made the startling assertion that it was largely on the increase among women and girls. He said it was a form of sin that didn't get the sinner anything. "The profane swearer is biting at an unbailed hook," he said.

During the singing of one of the gospel songs Leader Grant called upon Mr. Davis to sing a verse by himself, the choir and audience to sing the chorus. Mr. Davis made the excuse that he had a cold, and could not sing alone. Mr. Grant called upon the rest of the male quartet in order, and the excuses tumbled over each other in the effort to find expression. Bragdon was too modest and Weaver didn't want to. Rev. Marting was convalescing from grip and had his voice put away in cold storage. Mr. Grant got off a witty comment at the expense of the quartet which caused a laugh and sang the verse himself.

Mr. Reed says men are not the only gamblers. Women are also guilty, yet both men and women, he said, would be greatly shocked at the idea of being classed among the sporting fraternity.

The evangelist's description of the crucifixion was horribly realistic. He can certainly paint a picture with the best of them.

When he spoke of Pilate washing his hands, after the custom of the day, when he had delivered Christ over to the mob, and asked what he should do with Jesus, one could almost hear the click of linotypes and typewriters, as they

sounded when returns are coming in on election night.

The duet of the Aylesworth sisters was fine, as usual. Mrs. Della Crawford, the organist of Trinity, played the piano accompaniment.

The choir was rather skimpy in its proportions last night. Old Man Grip has left his card with several of the members.

"The Well," which the reporters, with alleged humor, have dubbed the quarters assigned them close behind the choir, is rather cold some nights. Last night some of the scribes broke away and took up quarters near radiators, where they were as much too hot as they were too cold before. Andy Fuller says "The Well" is misleading in this case as truth is said to be formed at the bottom of a well. We don't know what Mr. Fuller meant by this.

Only two more days of the revival, Friday and Sunday. The evangelist party will be missed when they leave us.

Evangelist Reed and party go from here to Dunkirk, N. Y., a city smaller than Portsmouth, located on the lake shore, some distance west of Buffalo. At one time it was a rival of Buffalo, when the Erie railroad was built through from New York city, and Dunkirk was made the lake end terminal.

The Methodist ministers are very well pleased with the results of the revival so far. The weather has been most of the time, notwithstanding the attendance has kept up marvelously. The shop meetings have especially been productive of good results. As a revival confined to strictly denominational lines it was largely an experiment, but an experiment quite satisfactory. No attempt has been made to rival or out do any former revivals, and there has been a remarkable absence of comparison and criticism. The promoters of the movement were simply out for good results.

HEY GOING TO FARM
Charles Hey has resigned as city salesman for the Jones-Ferguson Wholesale Grocery company, the resignation to take place Saturday, February 12.

Mr. Hey with his family will go to a farm he recently purchased in Delaware county. The farm contains 46 acres.

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We are all greatly indebted to those who tell their experiences. And among the many things which we read about and are of immediate importance to the expectant mother, is a selection of maternal remedy called "Mother's Friend." This is applied over the muscles of the stomach, it is deeply penetrating in its influence. Mothers everywhere tell of its soothing effect, how it allays pains incident to stretching of cords, ligaments and muscles. They tell of restful comfort, of calm, peaceful nights, an absence of those distresses peculiar to the period of expectancy, relief from morning sickness, no more of that apprehension with which so many young women's minds become burdened. It is a splendid help. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" from your nearest druggist. Ask your husband to get it for you. Then write to Bragdon Dry Goods Co., 408 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a very handsome and valuable book. It is filled with suggestive ideas of great help to all women interested in the subject of maternity. And best of all are some letters from mothers that are real inspirations. Write today.

Boy Scout Found Splinters Of Bones In His Arm

Great Meeting Sunday

The program of the big mass meeting for boys Sunday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church will be as follows: Bugle, "The Assembly," Howard Lowry; Opening Song, "National Anthem," Invocation, Scoutmaster C. W. Bidencour; Violin Solo, "Simple Confession," William Hopkins, accompanied by Miss Dellert; Opening Remarks, by Cecil Tidd, chairman; Cornet Solo by Howard Lowry; Address, "The Fight for Character," by Howard W. Graf of Troop Five; Vocal Solo, "A Perfect Day," by Miss Alma Davis, accompanied by Miss Dellert; Address, "Athletics and Christianity," by Rev. John W. Dunning; Closing Selection by Boy Scout Trio. Bugle "Taps" by Howard Lowry. There will be seats for about 500 boys and all boys will be welcome. First come first served. It will be a great meeting from every angle and the two addresses should be heard by every boy in Portsmouth. The meeting starts promptly at 2 p. m., closing at 3.

Troop One Tonight
Troop One will meet tonight promptly at 6:30 o'clock. After the usual scout meeting two games of basketball in the Junior league will be played, with another independent game of the older scouts. Let every member be out tonight.

ARTHUR VIRGIN, Scribe.

Troop Five Friday
Troop Five will meet Friday evening at 6:30 at the German Evangelical gymnasium. After the scout meetings a basketball game will be played between the Evangelical Juniors and the Submarines.

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Girls Want Trunk

The Hawthorne sisters appealed to Police Chief Henry Clark, Thursday, to recover their trunk from Chester Wallace, of Sixth and Gay streets, they claiming he was unlawfully holding it for rent because he

had ordered them to vacate rooms over his store. They had experienced difficulty in securing other quarters. Wallace claimed the young women still owed him several dollars' rent. The chief held it was a case for civil action and that he had no jurisdiction in the matter.

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Say, You Golf Golfers, Here Is Real News

New York, Feb. 3.—A reduction of 10 to 15 cents each in the retail price of golf balls was announced today by dealers and was attributed to the approaching expiration of the Haskell Patent April 11. The cut in the price of the balls applies to the medium grades only. It is understood that the reduction will not apply to the very cheap balls which are now being made to sell as low as 25 cents each, in order to compete with the British shilling ball.

Urge Toney To Hold Out

Winchester, Ky., Feb. 3.—A large number of admirers of Fred Toney, the great Red Fowler, who is holding out for more money from the Cincinnati club, sent him a communication from here today urging him to "stand pat" for a substantial raise. Toney was discovered in the winds of Tennessee by the Winchester Club of the Blue Grass League in 1909. They urge him to sign for not less than \$5,000.

May Place Bresnahan

Chicago, Feb. 3.—President Weeghman of the Chicago National, plans to meet Ban Johnson, president of the American league today on Johnson's return from Excelsior Springs, Mo., to discuss with the American league leaders the future of Roger Bresnahan, deposed club manager.

WILL MANAGE SPRINGFIELD CLUB

Elmer Redford, for so many years connected with the Dayton Ball Club and now manager of Fairbanks theatre, at Springfield, will be president and business manager of the new Springfield Club in the Central League.

WILLARD GETS \$41,000

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion, his manager and several promoters from New York and other parts of the country expect to head a conference here today, for the purpose of deciding on terms for a fight between the champion and Frank Moran of Pittsburgh.

Tex Rickard, Samuel McCracken and Jack Curley are on their way here from New York with cash offers for the ten round bout and Tom Andrews of Milwaukee, it is said, has offered to stage the fight on a percentage basis.

According to a telegram, however, from Ike Dorgan, Moran's manager, he has signed with Tex Rickard and McCracken. They have offered, it is said, a purse of \$53,500 of which Willard's end is to be \$41,000.

Peddled To Kansas City

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Two more Chicago players have been added to the roster of the Kansas City Club of the American Association. They were Jack "Red" Murray, formerly of the New York Nationals, last year with the old Cubs and Charles Handford with the Chicago Federals last season.

Old Rules Reinstated

Baseball is back in its old stride, according to an announcement made by Chairman Hermann of the National Commission. Hermann has notified all clubs that the commission's rules regarding the drafting and selling of players, many of whom were suspended during the war with the Federal league, are in force again.

WRESTLING MARVEL IS THIS FARM BOY



Joe Stecher.

Joe Stecher is "home rascal." That is the consensus of opinion of all those who saw the way the youngster handled the "masked marvel" at the wrestling tournament in New York recently. The 22-year-old lad, who hails from Dodge City, Nebraska, pinned the "marvel," who is no other than Mort Henderson of Allouez, Pa., twice to the mat.

Has Aversion For Minors

Red Murray, for years one of the mainstays of the Giants, says he will not go to the minors. He says he will not play in the minor leagues. Oh, very well, Mr. Murray.

BENNY KAUFF IS MODEST CHAP

Benny Kauff is at it again. He wants the Giants to pay him \$15,000 for his services this year and demands that an agreement be reached by April 1. He may get it but many a funny joke is pulled on that day. In a statement made public today Benny said: "If the Giants do not settle their differences with me by the first of April they will have to pay me \$15,000 a year before I agree to play with them. I have a legal right to the \$15,000, which I insist shall be paid me by them, and unless I get it I shall retire from baseball."

Jack Dillon Is Matched

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jack Dillon today accepted an offer to box Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, ten rounds in Milwaukee next month.

MAY TRAIN IN COLUMBUS, GA.

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 3.—The Pirates of the National league may train in Columbus this season. The officials of the Columbus Baseball Association have been in correspondence with the manager of the team and they state that prospects for the Pirates coming to Columbus look good.

Says Cooper Is A "Pippin"

"Of course I don't know," says Leo Magee, "but the outfielder whom the Reds are trying to land from the Federal league is Cooper of the Brooklyn Feds, but I only hope it is. This fellow seems to have been overlooked in the scrabble, and at the whole Federal league crowd he's the pippin."

MANY CASES NOT REPORTED

At a meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis League held Tuesday the members' attention was called to the fact that only about one-tenth of the estimated number of tuberculosis cases in this county have been reported to the state board of health, as is required by law. Consequently, the nurse's work among these people is badly handicapped, for it is largely through these reports that she is able to locate the cases of tuberculosis and give the necessary nursing and advice.

In about a week the league expects to move to the rooms upstairs at their present quarters at 251 Gay street. This floor has

recently been remodeled and will make ideal quarters for the league's offices. It will contain a large picture room, a consultation room for the dispensary physicians, a nurse's office, and a fine equipped bath room. To furnish these rooms a desk, several dozen chairs, rugs and three gas stoves are needed. Anyone having these articles and care to donate them will kindly notify the visiting nurse and she will send for them. The 1916 dues are now due. All members are requested to send their dollars to the secretary, Dr. Wendelken, so that it will not be necessary to engage a collector this year.

FATE OF TREATIES SOON TO BE KNOWN

Washington, Feb. 3.—Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee said today he intends to bring up the Colombian and Nicaraguan treaties reported favorably from the committee, for action at the earliest possible moment.

The Colombian treaty as amended in committee would reduce the amount of money to be paid Colombia from \$25,000,000 to \$15,000,000 and make the expression of regret for partition of Panama mutual to both the United States and Colombia.

The Nicaraguan treaty provides for the payment of \$3,000,000 to Nicaragua for an inter-oceanic canal route and naval base in the bay of Fonseca.

The treaties will be pressed for ratification with the full backing of the administration, although vigorous opposition is looked for from the Republicans.

Their opposition to the Colombian act is based on the payment of as much as \$15,000,000 and to any expression of regret.

RAMBLERS DEFEATED

Marting's Ramblers, a basket ball quintet of the Second Presbyterian church, were defeated by the Spanish class five in the high school gym Wednesday evening by the score of 28 to 17. The first half ended with the Ramblers in the lead, but the Spanish class came back strong in the last half and made 20 points while the Ramblers made six. The line-ups:

Spaniards: Marting's Ramblers: State.....RF.....Nutter, J. Egbert.....LF.....Williams Schlichter.....C.....Kekhart Schultz.....RF.....Chick Matthews.....LF.....Wilson

Field goals—Nutter, 3; Kekhart, 2; Wilson, 1; Lockwood, 1; State, 6; Egbert, 4; Schlichter, 3.

Paul goals—Williams, 3; State, 1; Schlichter, 1.

Salary Is Cut Down

It is said that Christy Mathewson has had his salary cut \$3,000 per year. Oh, he should worry. He will still draw \$12,000 this year.

Floor Squads Active Tonight

Tonight in the German Evangelical church gym the Second Presbyterian gym team and the German Evangelical team will play their first game of the season. The S. P. five will have in their line up, Joe Barber, Bob Padan, Ralph Bowser, Edward Franck, Everett Drew and Glenn Werner. The G. E. quintet will have their regular lineup with Uhl, Gims, Rowe, Kugelmann, Kah, Schinsky and Hensge.

NEW SIGN FOR ARCANIA

J. F. Potts, proprietor of the Arcania Theater, has placed an order with the Grimes-Peebles Co. for a large animated electric sign, which will be erected within the next three weeks. The sign will contain upwards of 300 incandescent lights of all hues and colors, and they will form a huge bird.

Reo Six Is Sold

David Stahler, the local Reo agent, sold a Reo-Six touring car Wednesday to J. A. Patton, of Franklin avenue. Mr. Patton is a steel plant employee.

Noted Singer Is Coming

David Hughes, of Cincinnati, one of the noted tenor singers of the Queen City, will spend Sunday here and has promised to render three solos at the First Christian church. He will sing at Bible school, moving church service and in the evening. Mr. Hughes is a brother of Quincy Hughes, employed with Bierley & Yelley. He has a host of friends in this city.

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C. E. Society To Have Big Week

(Contributed)

The Loyal Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian church, which is fast becoming one of the live wire organizations of that religious body, will observe "C. E. Week", February 6-13. The program, which covers four big days, is planned to interest every church member, and is as follows:

Sunday, February 6, 6 p. m.—A missionary program, entitled "The Least of These", consisting of choros songs, ducts, readings and a playlet, "The Missionary Committee Meets". You are asked to bring some loose change with you for the missionary offering.

Tuesday, February 8—A winter picnic, to which all members of the church and Bible school are invited. Bring your supper and eat at the church at 6:30 p. m., and enjoy the evening with the Endeavors. They will

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Wednesday, February 9, at 7:15 p. m.—Children's Loyalty Day. Every Christian should attend prayer meeting at least once during the year. This is THE night. An interesting meeting is assured.

Sunday, February 13, at 6 p. m.—"Decision Day". Every Endeavor should take a step forward. If you are not a C. E., join on that day. If you are not a Christian, decide then.

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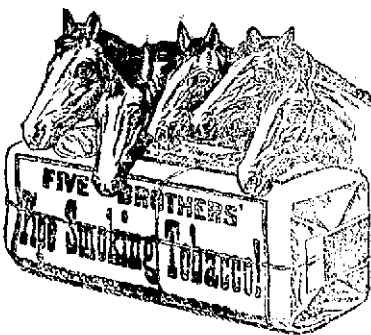
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Thursday morning said:
"Mrs. Amanda Hebling, of Portsmouth, came Wednesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Emma Heuberling, of Jeffersonville.
"Mrs. Oscar Richey returned Tuesday night from a few days' visit in Columbus.
"Jacob Gerlach and Linley Hughes, of Franklin Furnace, were two of the city's business visitors.

Miss Ethel Sch went to Portsmouth Wednesday evening for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. O. Y. Coriell, and family.

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100 APPLICATIONS
Trenton, Feb. 3.—One hundred and
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STEAMER OHIO BURNS TO WATERS EDGE LAST NIGHT

DISASTER CLAIMS FOUR BOATS AND MANY LIVES ALONG OHIO IN A MONTH

A relentless fate which seems to be pursuing crafts plying along this section of the Ohio river, late last night claimed the third boat of the day and the fourth within a month when the steamer Ohio, formerly the Avalon, was burned to the water's edge in the Little Kanawha river at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Heavy loss of life and property damage has accompanied the accidents.

River circles were shocked Wednesday morning upon receipt of news of the explosion of the towboat Sam Brown, at Huntington, W. Va., the boat being wrecked and sunk, the disaster exacting a toll of eleven lives and several seriously injured.

Afternoon press dispatches Wednesday carried news of the complete destruction by fire of the river packet Lorena, burned at the dry dock at Point Pleasant, W. Va. Another disaster added to the recent list of Ohio river tragedies occurred on the night of January 5, when the packet Kanawha, storm driven, struck a pier and sank near Parkersburg, W. Va., causing the death of a number of persons and the complete loss of the boat.

The steamer Ohio was burned to the water's edge in the Little Kanawha river at Parkersburg late last night. The Ohio was waiting to go on the drydocks for repairs. The fire started in the after cabin and soon enveloped the whole superstructure of the boat. A night watchman is said to have been the only person on board.

Owing to the position of the boat, firemen, operating from the river bank, had difficulty in fighting the fire.

The steamer was valued at \$35,000. She was owned by B. S. Pope, of Parkersburg, W. Va.; M. P. Noll, of Marietta, Ohio, and others. The origin of the fire is not known.

DAUGHTER OF DEMOCRATIC LEADER IS HAVING A GOOD TIME AT PALM BEACH



Miss Virginia Sullivan at Palm Beach, Florida. One of the most popular members of the younger set at Palm Beach, the famous Florida winter resort, is Miss Virginia Sullivan, the daughter of Roger Sullivan, the Democratic leader of Chicago.

Spanish Playing Cards. Spanish playing cards run from 18 to 240 to the pack, according to the games for which they are used.

BODIES HURLED INTO AIR AND TORN TO PIECES BY EXPLOSION

EXPLOSION'S TOLL

THE DEAD

Lewis C. Blair, 65, Captain, missing; Pittsburg, Pa.
Perry A. Wilson, 45, chief engineer; Pittsburg, Pa., missing.
Sam Boyer, 36, second engineer, Pittsburg, Pa., missing.
William Hysor, 60, steward, Pittsburg, Pa., body recovered.
Arnold Jones, 19, lamp trimmer, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va., missing.
Charles Shaffer, 45, cook, Pittsburg, Pa., died at hospital.
Mrs. Josephine Zehnder, 45, chambermaid, Cincinnati, O., body recovered.
C. H. Robinson, fireman, negro, Middleport, O., missing.
Westley Bess, fireman, negro, Middleport, O., missing.
James Craig, steersman, 22, Pittsburg, Pa., badly scalded.

THE INJURED

William Bowles, pilot, 45, Pittsburg, Pa., badly scalded; will live.
Joe H. Jackson, 28, second cook, 837 1/2 Third avenue, Huntington; not serious.

THE SURVIVORS

Ben J. Williams, 40, mate, Pittsburg, Pa.
Earl McDermott, 35, watchman, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Benjamin Gibbs, 23, deck hand, Middleport, O.
Ike N. Johnson, 23, deck hand, Middleport, O.
Berlin Hysell, 32, deck hand, Middleport, O.
James Kesterson, 26, deck hand, Middleport, O.
Roy Brown, 18, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Carl Spriggs, 28, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Elmer Casto, 22, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Taylor Pullen, 27, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Charles Jones, 45, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
William Kidd, 47, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
A. H. Wells, 55, deck hand, Gallipolis, O.
Elmer Burroughs, 21, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
Joe Patterson, 24, deck hand, Mason City, W. Va.
Charles Brown, 21, deck hand, Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.
John Hudson, negro fireman, Middleport, O.
Glebe Scott, negro fireman, Middleport, O.
Mose Qualls, negro fireman, Middleport, O.
John Singleton, Gallipolis, O.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 3.—Judge Ad R. Shepherd, chief inspector for the West Virginia Public Service Commission, this morning began an inquiry into the cause of the boiler explosion which destroyed the Pittsburgh combine tow boat Sam Brown, opposite this city yesterday.

Government steamboat inspectors, Clark and Thomas, of Point Pleasant, West Virginia, are also here to begin a federal probe.

Coroner Gerlach, of Cabell county, announced that pending the investigation by the state and federal authorities he would order no inquest on the bodies of the dead.

The death of James Craig, chief pilot, of Pittsburgh, in a hospital this morning, brought the list of dead to eleven.

John Singleton, reported missing, was located at his home in Gallipolis this morning. But two bodies had been recovered early today, but preparations were being made for exploring the wreck.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 3.—The death toll of the towboat Sam Brown explosion today reached eleven, when James Craig, chief pilot, of Pittsburgh, died in a local hospital this morning.

So far, but two bodies have been recovered. One of the injured died in a hospital yesterday afternoon.

It was one of the worst river disasters in the history of the Ohio river.

Among the missing and believed dead are the boat's captain, a veteran riverman, two engineers, three negro firemen and four others, including a chambermaid. The pilot was seriously, but not fatally scalded at a hospital.

The cause of the explosion is not known. A probe will start today.

The Sam Brown, a \$30,000 towboat, owned by the Monongahela River and Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, of Pittsburgh, was headed up stream, on the Ohio side of the river, opposite First street, when her boilers let go.

There was a sound like "muffled thunder."

A human body was seen to emerge high in the air from a huge puff of smoke.

A piece of boiler was thrown 300 yards into a field above the river bank.

Fragments of corpses mingled with the cloud of iron and wooden wreckage that was cast up into the air.

Two minutes later, the boat, a total wreck, had settled to the river's bottom.

Those who escaped instant death fought their way from the debris and swam ashore or were picked up by boats.

The ferryboat, City of Huntington, was in midstream, but was put about and went to the rescue, followed closely by the towboat Catherine Davis. A half dozen motor boats soon went to the scene with doctors and first-aid appliances.

By this time all those alive had been brought ashore and rushed to a hospital in motor ambulances.

The survivors of the Brown were aided in the search for bodies by the crews of the Catherine Davis, the City of Huntington and volunteer rescue workers who had arrived at the scene.

Efforts were made to dig and pry about the wreckage.

The body of William Hysor, 60, the boat's steward, was the first to be found. It was headless and not identified until several hours after the accident. It was identified by means of a gold ring, set with three rubies, on his right hand. It had been believed for a time that this was the body of Captain Lewis Blair, but up until a late hour last night Blair's body had not been found.

The second body brought out of that of Mrs. Josephine Zehnder, 45, the boat's chambermaid, whose residence is said to be on Vine street, in Cincinnati. She was seated on a stool in the boat's kitchen and must have been killed outright. About two hours after the explosion a wreck was seen protruding from the wreckage.

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A hole was chopped through the roof of the cabin and the corpse gradually freed. In the meantime four injured survivors had been taken to the Huntington General Hospital in motor ambulances furnished by the police and local undertakers. These were Jimmy Craig, youthful steersman, who had been terribly scalded when trapped as the boat went down; Craig, known as the chief pilot, and the pilot, William Bowles, of Pittsburgh, were together in the pilot house when the crash came. They went down in a maelstrom wreckage and fought their way to daylight before they were picked up by a yawl.

Bowles was badly burned, but it is not believed his injuries will prove fatal. Grave fears are entertained, however, that the young steersman, Craig, cannot live. The others taken to the hospital were Joe Jackson, of Huntington, second cook, who was bruised and ill from shock of immersion in the water, but not seriously hurt.

Carl Spriggs, a deckhand, of Pt. Pleasant, was also taken to the hospital, but his injuries consisted of bruises.

The captain's last words are believed those he spoke to his pilot. "Come ahead slow," he ordered the pilot, as he stood on the hurricane deck with a broom in his hand.

The next instant he, too, was engulfed in the inferno below.

Captain Lewis Blair, probably sixty or sixty-five years old, was one of the most widely known men on the Ohio river. He had been on the boats for fifty years.

Blair's clothes were found strung on trees along the river bank. They had caught there when his steamer trunk was caught in the explosion. But no trace of the clothes he wore or of any article that would indicate the whereabouts of his body was discovered yesterday.

Down in the engine room the chief engineer, who was on watch, is believed to have met instant death, with three colored firemen. The home of the chief engineer, Perry A. Wilson, is at Pittsburg.

With him were C. H. Robinson, William Cousins, and Westley Bess, all negroes, of Middleport.

These three firemen are thought also to have been instantly killed because of their proximity to the boilers when they let go.

It is down around the boilers that federal government inspectors will probe to find the cause of the explosion, if that is possible.

Charles Jones, a barge tender, of Pt. Pleasant, lost his son in the catastrophe. His son, Arnold Jones, 19, a lamp trimmer, could not be found among the survivors, and the father was frantic. It is thought the youth was drowned, as he was not on watch when the explosion came. The boy was believed to have been in a cabin, possibly asleep, at the time of the explosion. The father saw him rush out on deck, only to go down into the river. The body has not been recovered.

Many of the crew were asleep, or planning to go to bed. It was a few minutes after eleven o'clock. The forward watch was on duty, and the after watch was off. Members of the watch, including second engineer, Sam Boyer, of Pittsburgh, three colored firemen, John Hudson, Glenn Scott and Mose Qualls of Middleport, O., and seven deck hands were in the cabin. The after watch would have to come on duty again in the afternoon. The pilot ordinarily would have been off duty, with the captain in the pilot house, but the captain had asked Bowles to serve a short time before going off duty, while the captain himself directed the work of getting the tow ready for embarkation.

On the barges were six or more deckhands. Carl Spriggs, one of the injured, was on the forecabin deck, Mate Ben Williams was directing placement of a bridge and was standing on a barge when the explosion happened. The steward, second cook and chambermaid were in the vicinity of the kitchen.

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APPAM ANCHORS IN JAMES RIVER

PASSENGERS ALLOWED TO LEAVE BOAT

Newport News, Va., Feb. 3.—The captured British liner Appam, in charge of a German prize crew anchored in James river, off Newport News, shortly after ten o'clock this morning. The passengers were to be removed to barges and taken to Norfolk to board an Old Dominion line steamer, for New York. Some of the more prominent English passengers were expected to come to Newport News.

The passengers were anxious to get ashore and get started on their way to England, where they were bound when the Appam was captured.

Pending a further decision by the state department as to the status of more than 200 others aboard the Appam, these persons faced a longer confinement aboard the Appam. This decision was anxiously awaited by all but the members of the German prize crew because of the indications that the Appam was a prize of war belonging to Germany.

It is the German contention that the Appam came into Hampton Roads under the terms of the Prussian-American treaty which guarantees her to her captors. The British view is that the vessel should be returned to her owners as a prize in accordance with article 21 of The Hague convention.

As Germans and British disagree on this point they also differ in their versions of the identity of the raider. Prince Von Hatzfeldt, counsellor of the German embassy at Washington, insists that she is the German cruiser Moewe while all the British skippers aboard the Appam who have been interviewed to this time, declare she is a converted merchant man of about 5,000 tons named Panga, mounting six masked guns of near six-inch calibre and having two torpedo tubes.

The Englishmen believe she is a new boat fitted out recently as a commerce destroyer and that she slipped out of the Kiel Canal early in January.

ASSASSINATED NOT A SUICIDE WAS TURK HEIR APPARENT SAY HIGH OFFICIAL

Paris, Feb. 3.—"Yussuf Izzeddin, whatever may be said, was assassinated by his suite by order of the committee Union and progress," said Cherif Pasha, who, with Prince Sabah Edin, directs the principal movement of the Turkish opposition according to the Constantinople correspondent of the Matin.

"Latterly Yussuf had revolted against the dictatorship of the Young Turks. He became dangerous and he has been removed. His successor and cousin—Vahid Edin, is even more hostile to the Young Turks than was Yussuf. I should not like to make prediction regarding the length of his life," said Cherif Pasha in conclusion.

Longest Still Race. The longest race ever run on stilts took place from Bordeaux to Biarritz in 1903. The distance is 993 miles.

Pickles. Mud—Is Jack constant in love? Ethel—No, constantly.—Boston Transcript.

KAISER ON THE BATTLE FRONTS

Berlin, (Via Wireless to Sayville)—Feb. 3.—In again denying the report published in various quarters that the German emperor had been treated by an American physician for a cancerous condition of the larynx the Overseas News Agency characterizes the case as a "malicious attempt to influence foreign public opinion falsely, and adds: "The emperor is traveling from one line of battle to another as only a healthy man can do."

SNOWBOUND IS PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 3.—The Pacific Northwest today again faced the task of battling with an unprecedented snow storm which has paralyzed rail communication, disorganized city life, held residents in outlying districts snowbound, and caused many thousands of dollars damage to buildings not strong enough to withstand the weight of two and a half feet of snow on their roofs.

Portland, Oregon, Feb. 3.—Portland and a large part of Oregon continues today in the grip of what is said to be the worst storm in their history. Sleet and snow driven by high winds have cut off all railroad communication on all sides, save intermittent telegraph service to Spokane.

The storm which is known as a "Silver Thaw" has been experienced here before but never in so severe a form.

NEW MODEL FLEET CRUISER TOOK APPAM?

New York, N. Y., Feb. 3.—Daniel Bacon, agent of the Elder Dempster Company, British owners of the Appam, says that vessel was captured by a "new type of light draft, heavily armed, swift going cruiser, built on the lines of a merchantman and easily disguised."

"She was not an old warship, but a brand new vessel," said Mr. Bacon. She was escorted by several other vessels.

"I understand that the sum of \$150,000 in gold was taken from the specie room of the Appam when she was captured, but that the mails and cargo are intact."

WEATHER

Ohio—Generally fair tonight and Friday, except probably snow flurries near the lake.

THE LATEST IN SPORT DOM

Say, You Golf Golfers, Here Is Real News

New York, Feb. 3.—A reduction of 10 to 15 cents each in the retail price of golf balls was announced today by makers and was attributed to the approaching expiration of the Haskell Patent April 11. The cut in the price of the balls applies to the medium grades only. It is understood that the reduction will not apply to the very cheap balls which are now being sold at as low as 25 cents each, in order to compete with the British shilling ball.

Urge Toney To Hold Out

Winchester, Ky., Feb. 3.—A large number of admirers of Fred Toney, the great red twirler, who is holding out for more money from the Cincinnati club, sent him a communication from here today urging him to "stand pat" for a substantial raise. Toney was discovered in the "sells of Tennessee" by the Winchester Club of the Nine Grass League in 1908. They urge him to sign for not less than \$5,000.

May Place Bresnahan

Chicago, Feb. 3.—President Weegman of the Chicago Nationals, plans to meet Ban Johnson, president of the American league today on Johnson's return from Excelsior Springs, Mo., to discuss with the American league leaders the future of Roger Bresnahan, deposed Cubs manager.

WILL MANAGE SPRINGFIELD CLUB

Elmer Reddie, for so many years connected with the Dayton Ball Club and now manager of Fairbanks theatre, at Springfield, will be president and business manager of the new Springfield Club in the Central League.

WILLARD GETS \$41,000

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jess Willard, heavyweight champion, his manager and several promoters from New York and other parts of the country expect to head a conference here today, for the purpose of deciding on terms for a fight between the champion and Frank Moran of Pittsburgh.

Tex Rickard, Samuel McCracken and Jack Curley are on their way here from New York with cash offers for the ten round bout and Tom Andrews of Milwaukee, it is said, has offered to stage the fight on a percentage basis.

According to a telegram, however, from Ike Dorgan, Moran's manager, he has signed with Tex Rickard and McCracken. They have offered, it is said, a purse of \$53,500 of which Willard's end is to be \$41,000.

Peddled To Kansas City

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Two more Chicago players have been added to the roster of the Kansas City Club of the American Association. They were Jack "Red" Murray, formerly of the New York Nationals, last year with the old Cubs and Charles Handford with the Chicago Federals last season.

Old Rules Reinstated

Baseball is back in its old stride, according to an announcement made by Chairman Herrmann of the National Commission. Herrmann has notified all clubs that the commission's rules regarding the drafting and selling of players, many of whom were suspended during the war with the Federal league, are in force again.

WRESTLING MARVEL IS THIS FARM BOY



Joe Stecher.

Joe Stecher is "some rascal." That is the consensus of opinion of all those who saw the way the youngster handled the "masked marvel" at the wrestling tournament in New York recently. The 22-year-old lad, who hails from Dodge City, Nebraska, pinned the "marvel," who is no other than Mort Henderson of Altoona, Pa., twice to the mat.

Has Aversion For Minors

Red Murray, for years one of the mainstays of the Giants, says he will not go to the minors. He says he will put his baseball to rest away before playing in the smaller leagues. Oh, very well, Mr. Murray.

BENNY KAUFF IS MODEST CHAP

Benny Kauff is at it again. He wants the Giants to pay him \$15,000 for his services this year and demands that an agreement be reached by April 1. He may get it, but many a funny joke is pulled on that day. To a statement made public today Benny said: "If the Giants do not settle their differences with me by the first of April they will have to pay me \$15,000 a year before I agree to play with them. I have a legal right to the \$15,000 which I insist shall be paid me by them, and unless I get it I shall retire from baseball."

Jack Dillon Is Matched

Chicago, Feb. 3.—Jack Dillon today accepted an offer to box Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, ten rounds in Milwaukee next month.

MAY TRAIN IN COLUMBUS, GA.

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 3.—The Pirates of the National League may train in Columbus this season. The officials of the Columbus Baseball Association have been in correspondence with the manager of the team and they state that prospects for the Pirates coming to Columbus look good.

Says Cooper Is A "Pippin"

"Of course I don't know," says Leo Magee, "that the outfielder whom the Reds are trying to land from the Federal league is Cooper of the Brooklyn Feds, but I only hope it is. This fellow seems to have been overlooked in the scramble, and of the whole Federal league crowd he's the pippin."

MANY CASES NOT REPORTED

At a meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis League held Tuesday the members' attention was called to the fact that only about one-tenth of the estimated number of tuberculosis cases in this county have been reported to the state board of health, as is required by law. Consequently, the nurse's work among these people is badly handicapped, for it is largely through these reports that she is able to locate the cases of tuberculosis and give the necessary nursing and advice.

In about a week the league expects to move to the rooms upstairs at their present quarters at 251 Gay street. This floor has

RAMBLERS DEFEATED

Marting's Ramblers, a basketball quintet of the Second Presbyterian church, were defeated by the Spanish class five in the high school gym Wednesday evening by the score of 23 to 17. The first half ended with the Ramblers in the lead, but the Spanish class came back strong in the last half and made 20 points while the Ramblers made six. The line-ups:

Spaniards: Marting's Ramblers: Staten, LF, Nutter, RF, Egbert, LF, Williams, Schlichter, C, Eckhart, Schult, RF, Chick, Lockwood, Matthews, LF, Wilson, Field, goals—Nutter, 3; Eckhart, 2; Wilson, 1; Lockwood, 1; Staten, 6; Egbert, 4; Schlichter, 3.

Foul goals—Williams, 3; Staten, 1; Schlichter, 1.

Salary Is Cut Down

It is said that Christy Mathewson has had his salary cut \$3,000 per year. Oh, he should worry. He will still draw \$12,000 this year.

Floor Squads Active Tonight

Tonight in the German Evangelical church gym the Second Presbyterian gym team and the German Evangelical team will play their first game of the season. The S. P. five will have in their line up, Joe Barber, Bob Padan, Ralph Boyser, Edward Frank, Everett Drew and Glenn Werner. The G. E. quintet will have their regular lineup with Uhl, Gims, Rowe, Kugelmann, Kah, Schusky and Hensge.

NEW SIGN FOR ARCANA

J. F. Potts, proprietor of the Arcana Theater, has placed an order with the Grimes-Feebles Co. for a large animated electric sign, which will be erected within the next three weeks. The sign will contain upwards of 300 incandescent lights of all hues and colors, and they will form a huge bird.

Reo Six Is Sold

David Stahler, the local Reo agent, sold a Reo-Six touring car Wednesday to J. A. Patton, of Franklin avenue. Mr. Patton is a steel plant employee.

Noted Singer Is Coming

David Hughes, of Cincinnati, one of the noted tenor singers of the Queen City, will spend Sunday here and has promised to render three solos at the First Christian church. He will sing at Bible school, morning church service and in the evening. Mr. Hughes is a brother of Quincy Hughes, employed with Bierley & Yeley. He has a host of friends in this city.

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C. E. Society To Have Big Week

(Contributed) The Loyal Christian Endeavor Society of the First Christian church, which is fast becoming one of the live wire organizations of that religious body, will observe "C. E. Week", February 6-13. The program, which covers four big days, is planned to interest every church member, and is as follows: Sunday, February 6, 6 p. m.—A missionary program, entitled "The Least of These", consisting of choros songs, duets, readings and a playlet, "The Missionary Committee Meets". You are asked to bring some loose change with you for the missionary offering. Tuesday, February 8—A winter picnic, to which all members of the church and Bible school are invited. Bring your supper and eat at the church at 6:30 p. m., and enjoy the evening with the Endeavors. They will

keep you busy and it will cost you nothing.

Wednesday, February 9, at 7:15 p. m.—Church Loyalty Day. Every Christian should attend prayer meeting at least once during the year. This is THE night. An interesting meeting is assured. Sunday, February 13, at 6 p. m.—"Decision Day". Every Endeavor should take a step forward. If you are not a C. E. join on that day. If you are not a Christian, decide then.

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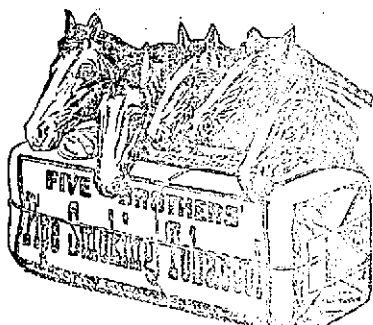
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FATE OF TREATIES SOON TO BE KNOWN

Washington, Feb. 3.—Chairman Stone of the senate foreign relations committee said today he intends to bring up the Colombian and Nicaraguan treaties reported favorably from the committee, for action at the earliest possible moment.

The Colombian treaty as amended in committee would reduce the amount of money to be paid Colombia from \$25,000,000 to \$15,000,000 and make the expression of regret for partition of Panama mutual to both the United States and Colombia.

The Nicaraguan treaty provides for the payment of \$3,000,000 to Nicaragua for an inter-oceanic canal route and naval base in the bay of Fonseca.

The treaties will be pressed for ratification with the full backing of the administration, although vigorous opposition is looked for from the Republicans.

Their opposition to the Colombian act is based on the payment of as much as \$15,000,000 and to any expression of regret.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF CHATEL PROPERTY

Hampton Grocery Company, a corporation, Plaintiff vs. C. Yaney Ligon Company, a Corporation, Defendant.

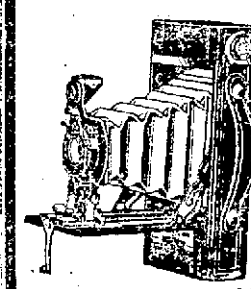
In pursuance of an Execution issued from the Clerk's office of the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, on the 5th day of December 1915, and to me directed in the case above named, I will expose to Sale at Public Auction at the door of the Court House in Portsmouth, Scioto County, Ohio, on Monday the 7th day of February 1916, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, the following goods and chattels, to-wit:

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PSYCHICS-PEACE-FAILURE

The secret is out. Ford's peace expedition was a failure because the psychic influences went awry. The jittery maker is a follower of the psychic cult. He believes if you can just think a thing hard enough then that thing takes form and substance out of the inchoate elements and becomes a substance, a condition. It was his thought that if he could get a ship load of intellectual persons out on the calm of the wide, blue sea and set them to thinking peace, and nothing but peace the psycho-radio waves would lap the whole world round and move all the beings thereupon.

There is the germ of a truth in that cult, but the unhappy lesson to the projector and payer in the enterprise and the misfortune of mankind was, that in this instance the germ had no opportunity to germinate. It would appear that Henry Ford is neither a good mixer, nor a born commander. No sooner had he gone aboard than he housed himself up in his state room and there he remained. Jealousies, envies, rivalries, hates, sprang up in the party, making for clash, bickerings and contentions. The fury of which would have shamed any waves the storm could have risen. For a time the man who paid the bills was ignorant of what was going on. Finally the whole condition was revealed to him and he was made sick at heart, so sick that instead of trying to quell the turmoil and release the psychic forces he hasted back home as soon as he could find another vessel with prow pointed that way.

We may not say the idea of the enterprise was deserving of abject failure, but conceived in something like a delirium, rushed on its feet with wild hurry, it had less than one chance in a million to obtain respectful consideration, to say nothing of succeeding.

CONCERNING COURTESY

That there has been a marked improvement in the manners of public officials will be admitted. No doubt, too, there has been an equally marked improvement in the manners of the public. "I have asked a great many questions of policemen in the last thirty years," says a prominent Clevelander, "and never received a curt or indifferent reply. I ascribe this largely to the fact that I asked my questions in a manner that called for courteous consideration." The days of the gruff and grouchy employes whose duties bring him in contact with the public, are for the most part numbered. The gruff and grouchy question is passing, too.

Corporations are paying more attention to the manners of their employees. In some instances they are testing them out. The ticket agent who barks at the plainly dressed stranger may find later that the stranger is the president of the road. The hotel clerk who snarls at an unassuming patron may be turning away a millionaire guest.

The corporations want the general public treated with the same courtesy that would be given to presidents and stockholders. They want the employees to see, as it were, a potential president or stockholder in every stranger who comes to the ticket window, or the collection window, or the teller's window, or the hotel counter.

A leading railway company has posted certain courtesy suggestions in its many stations. These suggestions impress upon the employee's mind the advantages of courteous treatment. The paragraph here quoted will give an idea of the poster's general purpose: "Courtesy is catching. Be courteous always. Courtesy makes the rough places much easier, and helps to smooth away life's little difficulties. Courtesy is a business asset, a gain, and never a loss. Courtesy is one mark of a good railroad man."

These are admirably practical little axioms that apply equally to all branches and varieties of public service.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Yes, so gruesome a thing as trench war can have its humorous side. Nothing serious could be so comical as that German crew sailing the missing English ship Appam into an American port as a man-of-war. Uncle Sam, however, is disposed to look upon the matter as anything else than a comedy or a joke. It presents some mighty and knotty problems as a maritime and international question.

If some of the tales we hear about the examinations of city departments are true, some might make a ten strike by having examiners examine examiners.

LIKE BANQUO'S GHOST



A GOOD START

The close of the first month of 1916 saw the iron market in the best and biggest condition it, probably has ever enjoyed. The mills were all running full time and there was an abundance of orders on hand. In truth such is the plethora of them, that specifications can not find takers, where there is anything like an early delivery limited at.

The outstanding feature in the whole situation of the month was the heavy receipt of domestics, and more particularly the strong buying of the railroads. To be sure "war orders" have considerable to do with the activity of the furnaces and foundries and their presence causes some uneasiness, but it is to be questioned if they are so important as not only to characterize the industry, but to threaten a serious relapse when they are through with. Money is plentiful and taking the country over, is about the cheapest it has ever been known to be. This means there will be much seeking of investments and that can in turn mean nothing else than large building operations, which will play a conspicuous part in maintaining the stability and activity of the iron market. Further than that railroads are apt to take occasion of cheap money to purchase equipment if they can get it even this year at anything like a fair price, and this ought to have its effect in keeping the mills going when the war orders are done with.

NEED FOR COMMISSION

An interesting situation is presented in Madison county, state of Illinois, where a condition of armed neutrality exists between the papers and the doctors.

What led up to the unpleasant entanglement is not clear to us, but as at present developed it appears the papers have placed a sort of embargo on the medicals, through the press association of the county, which is one of the largest in the state and contains over two hundred practicing physicians. The embargo takes the shape of each and every newspaper refusing longer to print names with a title prefix or affix. Thus, though a half dozen colleges may have conferred the degree of M. D. upon E. W. Fiegenbaum, and a thousand allude to him as "Doc" and his wife print her cards as "Mrs. Dr." in the news columns he will be plain E. W. Fiegenbaum. Of course, it is against the ethics of the profession and the newspapers are giving it the highest altitude of expression, but somehow we don't like their attitude particularly. There's a glow and a conference in addressing someone as "Doc" and it seems to us it would take out one of those little jubilant notes that go so far in making pleasant fellowship if the word were to be obliterated.

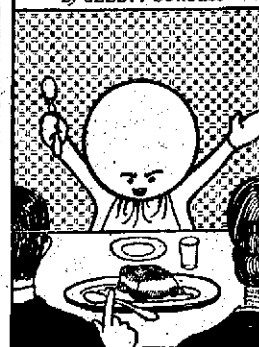
Did you ever. Here is another "extra" bobbing up for our waterless water works. This time it is the N. & W., which wants a few hundreds above \$13,000 for building an underground passage to the pumping station.

Things about even up in this old world. It is the far west and southwest that are now having the floods.

The weather is trying hard to be "awful" bad, but is not making a particular success.

Great is Adams county! Its Republican committee is the first in the state to endorse our good young governor for re-nomination. When it comes to voting for him, that is a matter for further consideration.

It's all too plain from the way he has begun to bellow that our good young governor knows how it feels. There wasn't anything, fact or fiction he couldn't say about the Cox administration; but it is intolerable that the unadorned truth should be told about his own.

G O O P S
By GELETT BURGESS

Ezra Pond

Perhaps you think it wouldn't hurt you if you ate some more dessert; But when your mother says you mayn't, Don't make a fuss or loud complaint, Like Ezra Pond, the Goop who'll scream If he can't have some more ice-cream!

Don't Be A Goop!

C. & O. Case
Is Continued

In the Greenup court the case of the Equitable Trust Company vs. the C. & O. railroad was continued until the July term. The administrators are suing for \$35,000 for the death of Charles Green in the Russell yard while at work. Messrs. Cole, Maysville, Ernst of Russell, A. R. Johnson of Ironton and S. S. Willis of Ashland are the lawyers for the plaintiff.

Engine Co. Elects.

Ironton, Feb. 3.—The stockholders of the Ironton Engine Co. held a meeting last night and elected the following directors: F. J. Colcamp, H. A. Marling, A. H. Mittenfiorf, C. A. Alfede, D. G. Davies, F. C. Tomlinson, F. L. McCauley and Thos. Demaro.

Influence of Dreams.

If we dreamed the same thing every night it would affect us as the objects we see every day. And if an artisan were sure to dream every night for twelve hours' duration that he was a king, I believe he would be almost as happy as a king who should dream every night for twelve hours on end that he was an artisan.—Pascal.

New-York-Day-By-Day.

O-O-MEINTYRE.

New York, Feb. 3.—Broadway is gold. He is the champion of cham-gone wild over the "stunt" musicians who are flocking in from everywhere. Any union musician who can double as an athlete, juggler or juggler while at his regular professional duties can get a job.

Louis Epstein, who operates the bull fiddle in a White Way skatatorium, has trained his instrument to give an impersonation of a waltzing partner and in certain selections he converts it into a whirling dervish and at other intervals he fox-trots with it, always catching the strings at the right time.

No less than half a dozen "crazy fiddlers" are now at work introducing high and lofty tumbling with their classical and spontaneous music. Slight-of-hand banjoists who can pluck off a few notes make the banjo disappear and bring it back to business in the right tempo are making a hit.

As for "lunatic pianists," why, what they are doing to decent, respectable and self-supporting pianos is nothing short of a scandal.

Wallie McOutcheon, well-known to Broadway, has been fighting in France under the English flag for nearly two years, and he is expected home soon. He left a perfectly good job to go to where the shells were screaming.

He writes that the soldiers are now singing all the time and they are singing the popular songs of America. Two of the songs that are being whistled in the trenches, just like "Tipperary" was, are "Mother and 'You-Wouldn't-Know-That-Old-Home-Town-of-Mine'."

A new song that has just come out is "Sweet Olden Time, When 'You Were Mine.'" The writers are hoping it will not offend the prohibition element. Peculiarly a drink song with excellent music some time ago lost out because it had a line touching on the good cheer of liquor.

There is a dog in New York that is worth more than its actual weight in

TO HELP COMMERCE
WITH AUSTRALIA

Phillip Kennedy.

Phillip Kennedy, newly appointed commercial attaché of the United States, has been assigned to the post at Melbourne, Australia. It is his duty to study the trade conditions of the country and advise the United States of its commercial opportunities. Mr. Kennedy came from a professorship in New York University. He has made a special study of European economies.

The interior of the morgue is being repainted and will be much more pleasant when the repainting is completed.—Sturgeon Bay (Wis.) Democrat.

Directions For Tying A Bow Tie

To tie a bow tie hold the tie in your left hand and your collar in the other. Slip your neck in the collar and cross the left hand end of the tie over the right with the left hand, steadying the right end with the other hand. Then drop both hands catching the left with the right and the other with the other. Reverse hands and pick up the loose ends with the nearest hands. Pull this end through the loop with the unengaged hand and squeeze. You will find the knot all tied and all you have to do is to untangle your hands.—Dartmouth Jack-o'-Lantern.



A Capital Scheme

The lawyer has no F Z life, And if he would X L, He must have every A D can R E cannot do well.

Every D D does is watched, And every K O tries; He can't succeed with M T shelves B E so very wise.

He will become a G D man, And oft he called A J, Unless he gets what L P can Obtain in N E way.

U C he must be up-to-date, Or L C cannot try To C K place among the few Who R A counted high.

Now if this N D has in view, And such he would S A, Rather than buy X S of books, Let him have L R A. —Wm. H. Woodwell, Jr., in Case and Comment.

It Can't Be Did

Billy Sunday thinks he would enjoy being a colonel, "like Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Bryan." Now which one? He couldn't be like both and live in peace with himself.—Philadelphia Press.

They'd See In a Couple of Days

Frank—They say the Germans are going to paint jokes on their submarines. George—Do tell! What's that for? Frank—So the English can't see 'em.

His Testimonial.

Ananias—Is the Junction House a good hotel? Job—Why, I wouldn't even lodge a complaint there.—Jack O'Lantern.

Where To Find Pissure Henry Hahn received a new en-bubbling table during the week and is refurbishing his morgue on the second floor of his furniture

Notice to Street Corner Mashers!

A New York magistrate has discovered that men who stand on street corners and flirt with passing femininity are feeble-minded and ought to be committed to some institution.

Figger This Out For Yourself

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Here is a problem in arithmetic, policemen, clerks, and desk sergeants at Newstead avenue station have been trying to figure out since 7 o'clock last night, and no two solutions agree.

A man and a woman, both well dressed, stopped in the restaurant of Mrs. Marie Wies, on North Sarah street. The woman wanted a "Tom and Jerry" and the man wanted a "high-ball," but they said they did not want to go into an adjoining saloon to get the drinks. They ordered sandwiches and paid for them. Mrs. Wies volunteered to get the drinks and bring them to the restaurant.

The bill for the drinks was 26 cents. The man gave Mrs. Wies a \$2 bill and she gave him a paper dollar and 75 cents in silver. He then added a quarter to the 76 cents and asked Mrs. Wies to give him a paper dollar. She complied. He then added another paper dollar to this one and asked Mrs. Wies to exchange it for the \$3 bill. When this was done the couple left the restaurant and Mrs. Wies thought the matter over and concluded she had been short changed. She called the policeman on the beat to help her figure on the problem. He said she was out 62 and the quarter for drinks. The desk sergeant said she lost \$1 in the deal; the clerk said \$2, and another policeman said she was out \$3. Experts at police headquarters said she did not lose anything in the transaction.

POLLY AND HER PALS



WHO SAID FORBIDDEN SWEETS?

TOWBOAT VICTIM HAS PORTSMOUTH RELATIVES

Dead Engineer Was Well Known In City

Local interest in the terrible explosion that practically destroyed the towboat, *Sam Brown*, of Chicago, asking for confirmation of the early report that Mr. Wilson was among the victims of the disaster, is shown by the fact that the first engineer of the ill-fated craft, *Perry Wilson*, who is reported among the dead, has relatives in Portsmouth.

Mr. Wilson is a nephew of Mrs. Samuel Ware, of 1130 Third street, and is a cousin of William Questel, of the *Yeloch* last company, who resides at 1517 Fourth street.

The missing man, who visited here last fall while the *Sam Brown* laid up here for repairs, is a grandson of the late Judge John Wilson, a former mayor of Portsmouth.

Relatives here of the dead man, other than his name appears in the list of the killed, the result of one of the worst river explosions in the history of the Ohio.

The first information that relatives and friends had that Mr. Wilson was missing, following the explosion, was through the story *The Times* carried in its last night's issue. As soon as Mrs. Ware read the news she got into touch with Mr. Questel, and he sent a telegram to Mrs. Emily Wil-

TOBE MOLER BADLY HURT

W. H. "Tobe" Moler aged 60, well known fisherman, whose exploits along this line have brought him much prominence, fell while in the back yard of his daughter's home, Mrs. George Hays of 913 Front street early Wednesday evening and fractured his hip. There was no ice or snow on the stone walk leading to the home from the shed and Mr. Moler must have tripped and fell. He was carried into his daughter's home and Drs. A. L. Test and J. E.

Regan were called. They found that Mr. Moler's left hip had been fractured. He will be laid up for some time. Mr. Moler suffered much pain last night but was resting easier today. He will probably be laid up six or eight weeks.

col. of Wheelersburg, and George, who lives at home. Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 11 o'clock at the Gerlach home in charge of Rev. George Brandau, of Long Run. Interment will be in Wheelersburg cemetery in charge of Undertaker McCurdy.

MONTENEGRO TAKEN; ALBANIA IN DANGER



This map shows the final steps by which Montenegro, like her nearest ally, Serbia, has now passed completely into the hands of the German alliance, as well as the immediate occupation of all Albania, down to and perhaps including Avlona, by the same powers. The shaded portion of the map shows the territory in Austrian or Bulgarian hands.

one of the pioneer farmers of the county, died at his home near Franklin Furnace, Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Death was due to obstruction of the bowels. He had been ill for some time, and about nine weeks ago underwent an operation, from the effects of which he never fully rallied.

Mr. Gerlach was born in Germany, but emigrated to this country when about nine years of age. He came almost directly to Scioto county, and has resided here ever since. He was highly regarded all over the county, particularly in that section in which he lived, and his death will be received with genuine sorrow everywhere. He was the father of a large number of children, and his home life was all that could have been desired.

Besides his widow, Katherine Elizabeth Gerlach, he is survived by nine children: Mrs. Lundy Hughes, of Franklin Furnace; Mrs. Anna Lynn, of Portsmouth; Mrs. John Held, of Sciotoville; Mrs. Frances Grey, of Schenectady, New York; Mrs. Elizabeth Oakes, who lives at home; Henry and Anthony, of Franklin Furnace; Conrad, of Sciotoville; Ja-

Attention S. A. W. V.

The regular meeting of the Spanish American War Veterans will be held Friday evening in their hall on Gallia street. This will be a reunion meeting and all members should be present. Other important business is to be transacted. Several officers will be installed. Light refreshments will be served at the close of the business meeting.

Tattooed Whiskers. The Albu women tattoo their faces to give them the appearance of men with whiskers.

SNOW AVALANCHE WRECKS GREAT NORTHERN TRAIN; EIGHT DIE



Graphic evidence of the tremendous power of the avalanche which swept down the mountain side at Cores, Wash., and cut its way through a Great Northern passenger train, hurling eight to death, is shown in this photograph of one of the wrecked coaches. The car, which is one of the Great Northern's steel day coaches, was lifted like a light packing box by the rush of the snow and thrown down the side of the mountain, a distance of about seventy feet.

TWO KILLED, TWO RESCUED WHEN OLD BRIDGE COLLAPSED

The accident to George Fulwiler, who fell down on the B. & O. S.W. tracks and badly gashed his head a few nights ago, recalled to the minds of some the falling of the old suspension bridge at the mouth of the Scioto river, May 24, 1884. He was a son of Mrs. Charles Fulwiler, of Union Mills, who with her six-year-old son, Sam, her three-year-old daughter, Zella and her baby, Eddy, were precipitated into the river by that accident. They were crossing the bridge when a heavily laden stone wagon drawn by four yoke of oxen came on the bridge and caused the upper cable to part. In an instant all the weight was thrown on the lower cable and it snapped. The mother and three children as well as the oxen and driver were thrown 60 feet below the wreck. The little girl was killed by the fall, the babe fell out of the mother's arms and was drowned. The mother, and boy and the driver, Charles Barr were rescued.

N. & W. RECORD AT IRONTON

Ironton, Feb. 3.—The foreman and including Saturday. The on the N. & W. section crew that number of loads hauled were 4, work in the city of Ironton took 275. This count was only confinement last week to count the ed to the west traffic. number of loads the N. & W. haul- At this rate the western haul ed west through the city during the week, counting 24 hours the hours that they were at work, each day, would be 11,160 loads, which is ten hours each day. and there is very little doubt but Beginning Monday they count- what this is the record for the ed the number of loads up to road hauled west through Ironton.

Partial Eclipse

A partial eclipse of the sun was visible in Portsmouth Thursday morning between 9:30 o'clock and 10:45 o'clock. The eclipse was total on the 80th meridian on the equator.

LADY ABERDEEN ASKS AMERICANS TO AID HUNGRY IRISH BABIES



The Cloddagh district of Galway, Ireland; Lady Aberdeen.

Lady Aberdeen of Ireland has come to America to beg help for the starving babies of the Emerald Isle. She hopes to raise \$100,000 for this purpose. She points out that famine has hit Ireland, that the infant death rate is mounting to alarming heights, while the birth rate is falling off.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Mary McGlothlin
A hemorrhage of the brain, superinduced, it is thought, by a violent roughing spell, the result of an attack of grip, is given as the cause of the sudden death of Mrs. Mary McGlothlin, widow of the late Joseph McGlothlin. She passed away at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of her son, George W. McGlothlin, of Carey's Run, where she was tenderly cared for during her declining days.

Mrs. McGlothlin was born in New York State, November 13, 1844. She came to Ohio when three years old and practically her entire life was spent in this vicinity.

The deceased is survived by two sons, George, of Carey's Run, and Milton G., who conducts a grocery store on Eleventh street, this city. She is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Jane Winn, of Columbus, and Mrs. Margaret Hall, of this city.

Mrs. McGlothlin was a member of the First Baptist church of this city and was a fine Christian woman. She was over true to her friends and was always kind and considerate of others. Her life was replete with deeds of kindness that endeared her to a wide circle of friends.

Conrad Gerlach
Conrad Gerlach, prominent farmer of Franklin Furnace, and

WILL HOLD BANQUET

At a largely attended meeting of Court Narcissus, Independent Order of Foresters, held Wednesday night, it was decided to hold a banquet at the next meeting, which will be on Feb. 16. Miss Margaret Reog and Mrs. Gertrude Rieger were named as a banquet committee.

Mr. DeBruin Retires

T. E. DeBruin, father of Glen DeBruin, the well known singer, will retire as postmaster of Winchester, after having served in that official capacity for the past twenty years. He was appointed during the first term of the late President McKinley. Thomas Swearingen has received his commission for the place and is all ready to assume charge. The office is an important one of the third class.

STEAMER IS SUNK; 19 DROWN

London, Feb. 3.—The British steamship *Belle of France* has been sunk. The Europeans in her crew and 22 Lascars were landed. Nineteen Lascars are missing.

CHILD LABOR BILL PASSES IN THE HOUSE

Washington, Feb. 3.—The Keating child labor bill, now awaits the action of the senate. This measure which would prohibit the interstate shipment of products of child labor under heavy penalty passed the house late yesterday by a vote of 337 to 46. The bill was amended so as to exempt boys and girls earning clubs from its operations.

103 APPLICATIONS

Ironton, Feb. 3.—One hundred and eight applications for membership in the Elks were received last night at the regular meeting of the Elks. It is said an even larger number will be received at the next meeting.

RIVER STILL RISING; HARDLY EXPECT 45 FT.

PARKERSBURG WATER CAUSE OF BIG SPURT

THURSDAY MORNING'S STAGES
Franklin, 5.1 ft. and falling. Rainfall .04.
Greensboro, 12.2 ft. and falling. Rainfall .20.
Pittsburg, 11.9 ft. and falling. Rainfall .10.
Wheeling, 19 ft. and rising. No rainfall.
Zanesville, 16.4 ft. and falling. Rainfall .01.
Parkersburg, 24.5 ft. and falling. Rainfall .10.
Charleston, 13 ft. and rising. Rainfall .08.
Huntington, 36.8 ft. and rising. Rainfall .04.
Cattlettsburg, 33.3 ft. and rising. Rainfall .08.
Portsmouth, 41.4 ft. and rising. Trace.
Cincinnati, 43 ft. and rising. No rainfall.

Forecaster Devereaux, of Cincinnati, wired Local Forecaster H. C. Donally as follows Thursday morning: "Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and probably Friday. River at Portsmouth will rise slowly tonight and Friday, becoming stationary by Friday night."

Local rivermen who did not expect the rise to exceed the 40 ft. mark here had their calculations upset by the Parkersburg water which was passing here Thursday morning. While forecasts have it that the river will continue rising here all day and Friday it will be at a gradually decreasing rate and probably not reach 45 feet. It requires this height to submerge the towpath.

Friday's packet departures are announced as follows: Str. Greenwood down for Cincinnati at 5 a. m.; Str. Tacoma up for Pomeroy at 2 p. m.; Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

Didn't Have a Chance.
Mrs. Young Bride—What small a Grocer—Yes, they are, but I'm sure don't know the reason. Mrs. Young Bride—They took them out of the too soon, I suppose. —Philadelphia Ledger.

REPAIRS ARE MADE

Repairs to the break in the 30-inch water main near the filtration plant were completed shortly before nine o'clock Wednesday night and service from the new plant was restored while the old Mill street plant was shut down again.

The restoration of service came as a most welcome relief to Hill-top residents who had been deprived of a supply all day for although some outside hydrants were running in that section the pressure in service pipes within the homes was too weak to be of any good, and bucket brigades became the order of the day, hundreds going to springs or to their more fortunate neighbors possessing wells or cisterns.

The old Mill street pumping station rendered valuable service, everything considered. Only the Worthington pumps were available as the intake of the Gordon pumps is plugged up and the crew did not care to risk straining the former, not knowing how old the packing was. They would have done so, however, in case of fire. As it was the pressure was maintained at only 50 pounds but this was sufficient to keep every manufacturing plant in the city running and at the same time provide an ample supply to private consumers.

Director Ralph Calvert, of the public service department, expects to give immediate attention towards having the intake trouble of the Gordon pumps removed. Had the Worthingtons broken down Wednesday the city would have been entirely without a water supply and at the mercy of fire.

The Gordons provide a higher pressure than the Worthingtons, but can not handle dirty water as well as the other, say the engineers. Their intake is said to be covered up entirely with sand. The situation there is all the more argument for the need of an early restoration of the reservoir, and it is said that minor repairs not costing much over \$100 will put the plant in fair serviceable shape.

The Attraction.
Miss Susy—What do you want that shopworn old nobleman for? There's nothing to him.
Miss Margalo—Well, he's been on the market so long I can get his little cheap. —Baltimore American.

Sleep Talkers.
Persons who talk in their sleep will frequently answer questions if spoken to softly.

SOUTHERN SOCIETY PLANS A BIG BALL



Miss Nannie Randolph Heth is president of the Southern Relief Society, which annually holds the big charity ball at Washington. It is the largest social affair of the season and the proceeds are used for the relief of the needy of the national capital who themselves or whose parents worked or fought for the Confederacy. Miss Heth's father was General Harry Heth, who fired the first shot for the Confederacy at the battle of Gettysburg.

HEADED FOR AMERICAN BORDER IS GEN. VILLA

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 3.—The flight towards the American border of Francisco Villa officially reported, has been followed by the movement eastward from the mountains of Western Chihuahua of a large number of alleged bandits, according to reports received here today.

Hard Luck.
"Jags certainly has the luck of getting up against it."
"Yes, we had our front door painted freshly the other day, and he got up against that too."—Baltimore American.

FEAR FOR ROAD

Lucasville residents have called the attention of the county commissioners to the washing of the approach to the Scioto river bridge at Lucasville. According to the residents of the village, every freshet brings the main channel of the river closer to the Lucasville end of the bridge. The road is already badly washed, and if some action is not taken to protect the road, it will be cut away by the swift water.

DEBATERS SELECTED

After a trial debate Wednesday evening by the high school debaters, Royal Marling was chosen as the third member of the negative side, which goes to Huntington. Maurice Schapiro was chosen as alternate for this team. Merion Garrison was selected as alternate for the affirmative side, which will remain at home.

The affirmative team consists of Howard Lowry, captain; Harry Davidson and Russell Williams, with Marion Garrison as alternate. The negative side is composed of Cecil W. Tidd, captain; Lorin Cunningham and Royal Marling, with Maurice Schapiro as alternate.